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Today

Big Incomes, Cheer Up
The Franc Goes Up
A City in Danger
A Very Safe Planet

Current Events

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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GOOD NEWS for the big incomes that pay, some of them, a 40 per cent. surtax. Thanks to good management by Presidents Coolidge and Secretary Mellon, the government income will be much bigger than the outgo, and the income surtax may be cut down as low as 29 per cent.

Another cut like that and the biggest men will feel able to take some real money out of their corporations, instead of ploughing it back into the corporation and getting an occasional stock dividend, mercifully tax free.

THE FRENCH FRANC continued to recover in value yesterday, showing for two days in succession that it is risky business to sell French money short.

The French are able and, above all, logical. They do not deceive themselves with inflation nostruma. Those that seek to produce a panic in French money should remember that the French do not indulge in panics easily. Leave the franc alone.

THIS SHOULD INTEREST real estate owners in big cities, also heads of banks and other big corporations:

General Mitchell testifies before the Congressional committee that flying machines and destructive chemicals such as are now made in quantity, could level New York city in one day, destroying with ease every important building on Manhattan Island.

How big a ransom would the city pay to avoid that? More than the cost of a good fighting air fleet, certainly.

THE FRENCH ARMY has tested and approved a new stabilizing device for airplanes without the use of gyroscope. That means one step nearer to absolutely safe flying, safer than any mode of travel on land.

Ten to twenty years should see the end of long distance rail travel and of ocean surface travel. Wise real estate investors will make their plans with the flying machine in mind.

FOGS, FLOODS, extraordinary rainfalls in the East, destructive high winds in the West, trains late, roads washed out, houses blown down, and gales raging over western Europe, seem to justify Mr. Reid's statements that his prediction of the world's end almost came true. In the South, many colored people attribute weather phenomena to the recent eclipse.

THE WISE MAN feels that with an ocean miles deep on both sides of him, absolute zero all around him, only a thin protecting atmosphere, and living on a planet with blazing fires inside of it, sailing around the sun at a speed exceeding 1,500,000 miles a day, he ought to thank Heaven for his marvelous safety, and not complain about a little extra rain or wind.

THE PRINCE OF WALES, whom Americans recently made very welcome, is interested in a plan to send British students to this country. That is common sense, as well as a pleasant compliment.

The Rhodes scholarship system, that now sends American boys to British universities, will be reversed in the new plan. The way to establish peace is to increase intelligence. When nations know each other, they will compete instead of fighting.

The flying machine, that will soon make travel around the world simple and cheap, ought to help civilize us. To see other nations makes you admire or pity and want to help them, instead of hating them.

A MAN in the Sing Sing death house, sentenced to die next month, hangs himself. Doctors work over him for hours, trying to bring him back to life, without success.

The dead man, who had killed six, burning them to death for revenge, writes the usual letter

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THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday, warmer Thursday; moderate variable winds becoming southeast.

Sun rises 6:38; sets 5:19.

Light all vehicles before 5:49 p.m.

Gloria Swanson Hurried to Hospital

MRS. COTE TO DEFEND SELF ON STAND

Hunt Man Friend of Woman Bank Wrecker

MILL OWNER GOT $50,000 ON I. O. U.'S, PROBERS REVEAL

Kingston, R. I., Feb. 18.—A search was started today for the "man behind" Miss Maude E. Tefft, who wrecked the Peoples' Trust Company of this town, of which she was secretary and treasurer.

A prominent Rhode Island mill owner is said to have received large loans from the woman banker and church organist, in return for which he gave her notes or I. O. U.'s without any collateral.

The authorities are also investigating week-end trips made by Miss Tefft to Boston, where she stopped at the Copley Plaza hotel.

Attorney General Sisson has been furnished with names and addresses of brokers through whom Miss Tefft claims to have lost part of the missing $110,000, and efforts are being

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RUSH OPERATION ON GLORIA SWANSON

Paris, Feb. 18.—Gloria Swanson, famous American film star, was hurriedly and mysteriously removed from the Plaza Athene Hotel at 1:30 o'clock this morning and taken to a hospital, where it was said an operation was performed.

Miss Swanson recently became the bride of Marquis de la False and attracted international attention by declaring that ideal happiness meant a family of at least eight children.

Her new husband is a very rich man.

Film friends of the Marchioness and her husband gathered at the St. Lazare station to bid them farewell in their scheduled departure on the 10:05 a. m. boat train to catch the liner France for America were astounded to learn from officials of the French Line that Miss Swanson had been operated on and was in a hospital.

Miss Swanson's two children and their governess caught the boat train per schedule and will sail on the France.

Dr. Vaudescal operated on Miss Swanson. The operation was entirely successful.

The operation became suddenly necessary as a result of Miss Swanson's continual rehearsing of a film scene which necessitated her falling off a horse, which resulted in injuring her. Gloria's condition is complicated, however, by an operation she underwent two years ago."

COOLIDGE TO CALL ARMS PACT, RUMOR

London, Feb. 18 (A.P.).—A new armament conference which President Coolidge would summon has been mentioned here, "in conversations with the American Ambassador and is at present under consideration," Foreign Secretary Austen Chamberlain announced in the House of Commons today in answer to a question by Commander Kenworthy. Mr. Chamberlain declined to amplify this statement.

KIDNAPS MALDEN BOY FROM MOTHER'S ARMS

Four-year old Ralph Russell was snatched from his mother's arms, in her home at No. 402 Salem street, Malden, and spirited away in an automobile by a man, Mrs. Ruth Ramsdell, twenty-five years old, declares is her husband, Warren Ramsdell, from whom she is separated.

According to Mrs. Ramsdell, her husband entered the house while she was sitting with her young son on her knees. She battled with the kidnaper, screaming for help, but he succeeded in wrenching the boy from her grasp.

In scant attire the boy was taken to a waiting automobile and quickly driven away. Mrs. Ramsdell told police her husband now lives in Gardner.

MOTOR TRUCK OWNERS

Do you want Public Utilities Commission (the Railroad Board) to Control Your Rates, Routes and Right to Continue in Business on Any Public Street?

May Rule You Unnecessary OR YOU MAY LOSE YOUR BUSINESS

Attend Hearing State House, Room 433, Thursday, Feb. 19th, at 10:30 A. M.

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ACCUSED WIFE AND DAUGHTER

Two women who play prominent parts in Cote murder trial at Portland, Me. At left, Mrs. Lottie F. Cote, wife accused of complicity in husband's death; at right, Miss Susie Sanborn, Mrs. Cote's daughter by a former marriage. The girl, it is said, knew of the alleged plot to kill Cote.

MRS. COTE WILL TAKE WITNESS STAND IN OWN DEFENCE TODAY

Portland, Me., Feb. 18.—A denial of the confession of Charles Henry Fielding, who said he shot Alphonse Cote of Gorham at the instigation of his wife, Mrs. Lottie Freeman Cote, was promised today when the women takes the stand in her own defence.

It has been indicated the contention will be made that Fielding's act was one of personal vengeance and not a love killing, and that he is a man of such mental shortcomings as to be incapable of telling the truth.

Fielding pleaded guilty to first degree murder and became the star witness for the State when the trial of himself and the woman whose suitor he was said to be opened here in a crowded courtroom.

Admitting he shot Cote to death, Fielding told the jury Mrs. Cote nagged him to slay her husband until he was finally driven to it against his will. The defence promises to throw an entirely different light on the mitive for the shooting.

The cross-examination of Fielding today by Attorney Harry E. Nixon, indicated that the claim would be made that bad blood had long existed between Fielding and Cote.

FIELDING ADMITS ROWS.

Attorney Nixon got Fielding to admit that he had had several quarrels with Cote as a result of one of which he considered getting a warrant for Cote's arrest for calling Fielding a wife a vile name.

Asked if he expected clemency because he pleaded guilty to the murder, Fielding replied:

"I made up my mind after the murder that I would have to serve a long term and I feel that way about it today."

Fielding admitted that on the night of the tragedy he and Mrs. Cote kept a tryst after the children had gone to bed.

This was within a few hours after Fielding says he and Mrs. Cote's son, Ralph, had buried the body of the slain man in the corn field. The body had lain since early morning concealed b yunderbrush and fresh cut boughs in the strip of woods where Fielding admits he shot down Cote while pursuing an imaginary deer.

EMBRACED AFTER PLOT.

An odd phase of the case was that every time Fielding and Mrs. Cote discussed the murder plot, according to his story, they indulged in affectionate embraces. Fielding gave the impression that this was the manner in which Mrs. Cote spurred him to commit the crime.

Fielding was sharply interrogated by Attorney Nixon about a visit to his cell in the county jail by Susie Sanborn, Mrs. Cote's seventeen-year-

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King George Is Improving, Say Physicians

London, Feb. 18 (A.P.).—Improvement in the condition of King George, who is suffering from bronchitis following an attack of influenza, is noted in an official bulletin issued from Buckingham Palace today. The bulletin reads:

"The King had a fair night. Though there is as yet no change in the bronchitis, the general condition of His Majesty shows improvement."

LIMERICK REPLIES COME IN RAPIDLY

The great flood has started!

In they pour by the thousands, an army of happy thoughts intent upon capturing the offer irresistible.

Midnight, tonight, is the deadline for Limerick No. 1 in the Boston Evening American's $25-a-line "Last Line" Contest.

The filled-in line to the first jingle started dribbling in late Monday afternoon, the returns rapidly and imposingly swelling with the passing of the hours.

They keep pouring in from all parts of New England. Thus you

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DELAND SAYS PONZI COLLECTED 9 MILLION

Charles Ponzi went on trial today in Suffolk Superior Court on indictments charging larceny of $9,000 from seven persons. Ponzi acted as his own counsel. A jury was chosen in short order.

Assistant District Attorney Frank S. Deland said one of the documents to be introduced by the government would be a copy of the postal union treaty. He said Ponzi collected $9,000,000, and if he was really planning to do a coupon business he would have had to buy 180,000,000 coupons.

John A. Badaracco of No. 1874 Beacon street, Brookline, testified to talking with Amato Calabio, then visiting Ponzi, who explained he was sending American money to agents in foreign countries who would buy reply coupons and return them with all profits.

Badaracco said Calabio next gave him $500 to invest, that Ponzi paid him a commission of $50, and he then became a Ponzi agent.

DR. MARION BURTON DIES AT ANN HARBOR

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 18.—Dr. Marion Leroy Burton, president of the University of Michigan, died today. He had been ill since November. Dr. Burton placed President Coolidge in nomination at the Cleveland convention.

Attending physicians announced yesterday that a new complication had been diagnosed as streptococcus pleurisy.

Overwork was the direct cause, his physicians said. Pneumonia developed and was stubborn in the face of medical treatment. Heart and kidney complications ensued, dragging Dr. Burton close to death several times during the Winter.

POLICEMEN RESCUE MOTHER AND CHILD

Four-year-old Joseph Kerrauechia and his mother, Mrs. Annie Kerrauechia, forty-five, were carried from their beds to safety by policemen today during a fire in the three-story dwelling house at No. 63 Lexington street, East Boston.

Both mother and son were ill in bed, the former with a heavy attack of grip, the boy with the measles. Following the rescue by Policemen Giodano and Magaletta of the East Boston station, they were cared for by neighbors.

MARBLEHEAD GIRL WAS SECRET BRIDE

Salem, Feb. 18.—Nellie C. Disney, of Marblehead, and Robert B. Cahoon, of Salem, are man and wife and have been for six months. When the announcement was made at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Cahoon, No. 43 Leach street, the young couple were forgiven for their secrecy.

FOUR COWS FOUND SHOT IN THEIR BARN

Suffield, Ct., Feb. 18.—Four of the best cows in a herd of eleven owned by Walenty Dresnik were found dead in their stalls today. All had been shot. Deputy Sheriff G. L. Greer is investigating. The dead animals were valued at $600.

DR. SUN DYING; IS TAKEN TO HIS HOME

London, Feb. 18 (1:30 A.M.).—Believing that death is near, Dr. Sun Yat Sen, noted Chinese leader, has been removed from the hospital, at his own request, and taken to his home.

WILL GO TO NEWPORT, SAYS MRS. BUDLONG

New York, Feb. 18.—"Out of the bedroom by Saturday" was caught up as a slogan today by watchful detectives, despite the failure of "Uncle" George Wilson, 74-year-old relative of Mrs. Jessie M. Budlong, to argue her out of her self-imposed imprisonment in her husband's apartment.

The slogan was inspired by a note, flung from the East Seventy-second street window of the bedroom where she is holding the fort, and in which she said she would have to open the locked door by Thursday, Friday or Saturday.

Another attempt to argue his niece out of Milton J. Budlong's apartment was made today by Uncle George, who came over from Newport for the purpose. He is a lawyer whose home

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SENATE POSTAL BILL SPURNED IN HOUSE

Washington, Feb. 18.—By a vote of 234 to 110 the House today refused to accept the Senate postal pay increase bill as a substitute for the measure it passed last week.

16 DAILY PRIZES FOR LIMERICKS

MRS. BUDLONG PROMISES UNCLE THAT SHE WILL GO TO NEWPORT

'OUT OF ROOM BY SATURDAY' DETECTIVES DECLARE

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would trust him where she has been staying at the Newport home of the Budlongs.

He intended taking food to Mrs. Budlong today, in the belief that she would trust hi mwhere she has been suspicious of others offering sustenance.

UNCLE'S FIRST VISIT.

His first visit to the detective-guarded apartment in which Mrs. Budlong has ensconced herself, proved fruitless as far as carrying out of purpose was concerned.

The elderly lawyer, wrinkled, stooped and with voice trembling in excitement, sent his cracked voice wavering through the keyhole of the locked bedroom.

"Jessie, it's Uncle George," he said.

"I've been to see your lawyer and he says he can't do anything. Just open the door, Jessie, and come on down to Newport. Aunt Margaret's there waiting.

"We got nervous, Jessie, fearing you might have got in danger, and the old lady's so fidgety she can't sleep. I think you've won your point, Jessie, and you might as well come back to Newport. Do you hear me, Jessie?"

A sound came from within and a delighted fire flashed from the old man's one eye (he has lost the other) as he crouched, with his ear glued to the keyhole.

"By Jiminy, it was her voice," he laughed happily. "There can't be any question about that."

WILL JOIN THEM LATER.

Mrs. Budlong's voice came louder:

"Uncle George, I know what I'm doing and you don't. I know just what I'm doing. You go back to Newport and tell Aunt Margaret I'm all right. I'll join you there later."

"Well, Jessie," quavered Uncle George's voice again, "if you say you know what you're doing and it's something I don't know about, then I guess it's all right. I'll go. Don't let them do anything to you, Jessie."

It was a short time later that Mrs. Budlong, loaning her kimona-clad figure far out of the bedroom window, flung down another of her husband's shirts, containing the newest note. The garment was a boiled shirt at that, making two the oil man is now minus.

REJECTS ALL OFFERS.

Detectives in the apartment reported today that "a mysterious woman in black" visited the apartment and offered to bring food, which she would eat together with Mrs. Budlong as evidence of good faith that the edibles had not been poisoned.

Mrs. Budlong voted the proposition down on a single ballot. Then a messenger arrived with a note offering aid from Dr. Nona S. Gould of the Murray Hill Hotel, classmate of Mrs. Budlong at Vassar. This also was rejected.

LARGE PHONE SAVINGS ARE LISTED

Continuing his plea before the Public Utilities Board today for a $12,000,000 annual increase in revenue for the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Robert P. Estabrook, general traffic manager, declared installation of improved equipment is saving the company $2,390,000 yearly. Estabrook cited six instances of this economy now in practice.

He said $460,000 in operating labor was released by substitution of prepayment coin box public telephones for the post-payment type. A saving annually of $340,000 in labor is represented in the substitution of meters for tickets for individual measured telephones, the witness stated.

Introduction of audible ringing signals, whereby the "A" operator need not come in on a line when there is a delay to tell the subscriber resulted in a $300,000 yearly saving in labor and a similar saving resulted from installation of a machine ringing system on "B" switchboards, the traffic manager said.

An improvement in cords on "A" and "B" switchboards has saved $900,000 in labor, he declared. Introduction of narrow bare keys on "B" switchboards brought an annual saving of $100,000 and an additional saving of $200,000 was made on equipment carrying charges, Estabrook told the board.

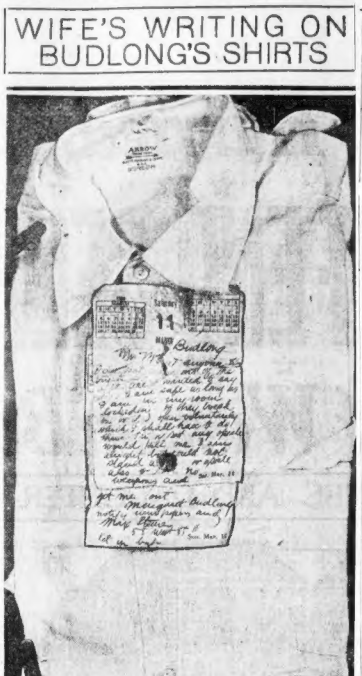
PALMER CASHIER HELD FOR SHORTAGE ARRESTED

Springfield, Feb. 18.—George N. Cook, former cashier and bookkeeper of the Central Massachusetts Electric Company at Palmer, arrested two weeks ago when an alleged shortage of $500 was found in his accounts, and who has been on bail since his arrest pending a hearing tomorrow, was rearrested in his home here today when it was alleged a further shortage of $1,500 was discovered.

POISONED BACK BAY WOMAN IN HOSPITAL

Suffering from veronal poisoning, Mrs. Violet Tracey, thirty-two years old of No. 1292 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, was taken to the City Hospital today. A physician to whom the woman had gone for treatment sent her to the hospital. She is said to live alone.

WIFE'S WRITING ON BUDLONG'S SHIRTS



(Photo by International News Reel.)

Photo shows the first of Milton J. Budlong's shirts flung out of his apartment bearing note from his wife who has locked herself in there, telling the world she is safe and to so notify newspapers and Lawyer Steur.

LITTLE CHANCE FOR LOWER "GAS" PRICE

Washington, Feb. 18.—The prospect for reduced prices in gasoline are not very good, according to F. B. Tough, an expert of the Bureau of Mines, who appeared before a special House committee. Tough showed that the production of crude oil is steadily decreasing in ratio to the number of motor vehicles.

Man's Body in a Brook

North Abington, Feb. 18.—The body of Murdoch Gillis was found head downward in a brook in the rear of the home of Mrs. Fam Gowell on Randolph street today's Robert Tyler, who was among party of searchers.

Gillis, who lived alone, disappeared Sunday.

Priest Found Dead

New York, Feb. 18.—The Rt. Peter J. Slae, a Catholic priest f Oconso, Mich., was found dead tody in the Sagamore Hotel, Coey Island, from apoplexy. Bank books showed he had $248,423 cash anda tax bill showed he owned $22,000 n property.

COLLINS' CAVE ENTRANCE IS SINKING

Cave City, Ky., Feb. 18 (Universal)—Floyd Collins sleeps today in the tomb he perhaps would have chosen, seventy feet down in Sand Cave. And there he will sleep forevermore, Nature, which has sneered and mocked at man's puny efforts to bring him forth, is taking further steps to seal his mausoleum beyond any possibility of his ever coming forth.

A great crack has appeared at the base of the cliff which overhangs the entrance to the cave. It is now six inches wide and the ground in front of the cliff seems to be sinking. Composed of treacherous shifting muck even before the rescue operations were started, the underground strata which has been disturbed by the sinking of the shafts and tunnels are again seeking to adjust themselves. It is likely that it will sink until all the natural passages have been closed.

Horrors of Collins' Death "Unthinkable"

Cave City, Feb. 18 (Universal Service).—If it were possible to total up the hours of agony that Floyd Collins suffered in the blackness of the rock crevice that became his tomb, his tortures would make such a compendium of horror as to be unthinkable.

Collins had been dead, when his body was reached from three to five days, Dr. W. H. Hazlett of Chicago, decided after he had made a careful and detailed examination.

That means that his last breath was gasped out last Friday or Thursday or Wednesday.

And last Wednesday was a week and a day after the last bit of nourishment and the final drop of moisture had passed his lips.

Dr. Hazlett prepared for newspaper correspondents a brief statement of the probable cycle of physical stresses through which the entombed man passed before there came the final blessing of the last unconsciousness.

EXPLAINS EMOTIONS.

The statement goes:

"The normal individual undergoes emotional strains when prone in cramped and dangerous positions. Evidence of these strains in Collins would save him from the great mental anxiety that others would naturally have if caught in straits such as the one in which he found himself.

"In the same circumstance you or I would perish from fear alone within a few days.

"After the first day or two, following the administration of the last bit of nourishment, distress from hunger would not be experienced. Thirst would be most distressing at first. But this, also, would eventually pass away.

SUFFERING INTENSE PAIN.

"There would be intense pain as result of his cramped unchangeable position. There would be great pain at the points of his body pressing against the rocks.

"The temperature of the cavern where he was held was said to be fifty-four degrees. This would chill any person restrained from muscular activity.

"As the days passed exhaustion would progress until, finally, there would come periods of unconsciousness. The periods of mental clearness, interspersed, would be of a variable duration.

Carmichael Praises Crew of Diggers

Cave City, Ky., Feb. 18 (A.P.).—The leader of the Floyd Collins' rescue shaft crew, H. T. Carmichael, gave the Coroner's Jury here the official picture of the two weeks' effort, during which he said:

"On February 4 I decided Johnny Gerald was the real man to get Collins out. I asked Gerald to pick a party to go in. He told me no sane man would attempt to go through the place after he came out that time. Men did things that all the money in the world would not buy.

"We started the shaft Thursday, a week ago. I feel that the shaft was the neatest of any other little job I ever saw. I don't believe another set of men in the United States could have done any quicker work."

Donations to the Floyd Collins rescue fund aggregated $3,756.91 to Tuesday night, it was announced today by S. D. Caldwell, treasurer of the fund. Contributions were received from twenty-nine States and Canada. Of the amount $1,115.69 had been sent direct to Lee Collins, father of the victim, and turned over to the fund. Caldwell said $1,200 had been paid out. Money left over will be presented to Mr. Collins.

BRIDGE BUILDER HEADS ENGINEERS' INSTITUTE

New York, Feb. 18.—J. V. W. Reynders of New York City, steel bridge builder, today was elected president of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers at the organization's annual congress. E. De Golyer of New York City, representative in the United States of Lord Cowdray, British oil king, was elected first vice-president.

MILL MAN FACES ARREST AS A BANK WRECKER

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made to apprehend and prosecute them.

Rhode Island State College was hard hit by the trust company's wrecking, between $20,000 and $30,000 of the college's quarterly collections being on deposit when the doors of the bank were closed. The college authorities admit they are facing a grave financial crisis, but expect to be tided over by State assistance.

The mill owner, according to Miss Tefft's alleged confession, made away with $30,000 of the shortage.

PURCHASED FINE AUTO.

Today the town ip still aghast at the disclosures and unable to reconcile the exemplary life of Miss Tefft with her misuse of the money entrusted to her.

As a singer in the choir of the Congregational Church and an active social worker, she had their deepest respect.

Her recent purchase of an expensive automobile failed to excite any suspicion. It was assumed that she had bought it with the funds raised by sale of telephone stock that she owned.

$100,000 ALLEGED SHORTAGE.

Governor Aram J. Pothier will require of Bank Commissioner George H. Newhall upon the latter's return this week from a stay on the Pacific Coast, a complete statement of the operations of the company.

Despite the fact that Miss Tefft's alleged misappropriations began two years ago, the examination of the books of the bank by agents of Mr. Newhall did not disclose any irregularities in the accounts last November, it is declared.

According to report from the bank commissioner's office Miss Tefft's stock purchases will total about $60,000 and her loans on notes without collateral to $50,000 additional.

ACCOUNTS TAMPERED WITH.

As a result of the wrecking of the bank the entire populace of the small town with the exception of several millionaires, said to be interested in the bank, is financially embarrassed.

College students and professors, farmers, store keepers, widows living on incomes, are without funds to buy food or clothing.

The larcenies committed by the $1,600-a-year woman bank clerk were about as daring as any ever undertaken by Pinkerton detective agents in their long list of bank wrecking investigations.

Miss Tefft's position was neglected in the thefts by Miss Tefft. Accountants investigating the books at the bank found that the account of every depositor excepting her own, had been tampered with.

When Attorney-General Sisson was questioned concerning the condition of the bank, he stated that Edward Littlefield had been appointed receiver, but added that the receiver would have little to do in the way of liquidating assets.

"It is my honest opinion that the People's Trust Company will never be reopened and at this time I can see no hope for the depositors," he said.

It was reported that Miss Tefft would be offered immunity if she would turn State's evidence.

The wrecking of the trust company revealed that the woman was able to misuse the funds with ease. While the company's total assets in June, 1924, were listed at $175,000, the young woman succeeded in making off with all excepting a few thousand dollars. Most of this money was taken last November.

OVERDRAFT AT PROVIDENCE.

Miss Tefft had ready access to the funds of the bank. She had as much power to sign checks as the president and these checks when sent through the Merchants National Bank of Providence, which acted as clearing house for the trust company, were never questioned.

When it was discovered that the total balance at the Providence institution had dwindled, the bank examiners were called in along with the detectives. The fact that the balance had become low was discovered when an overdraft for $18,000 had been drawn on the account of the People's Trust Company.

The officials of the Merchants Bank notified Charles J. Green and he called a conference of the directors. Miss Tefft was called in and questioned. She answered all questions without any sign of fear. She calmly told the officials that she had made a loan of close to $60,000 and had secured no collateral. She stated to the officials that the loan was safe and that the money would be returned within a few days.

BORN IN KINGSTON.

Miss Tefft, a native of Kingston, is a woman of refinement and of a good reputation. She resided in an apartment over the quarters occupied by the bank, which is th an old Colonial structure. Her mother and two brothers reside in Wakefield.

She is a graduate of South Kingston High School, and after working as a bookkeeper became assistant town clerk at South Kingston. In 1918 she relinquished that position to become identified with the Kingston Trust Company.

declaring his innocence. But "suicide is confession." An innocent man would wait until the last.

THE INTERESTING FEATURE of this death in the death house is the violent effort to resuscitate the man after he had strangled himself. The law said he must die, why not let him die?

He will appear in the other world with bruises on his neck, instead of the burns on head and leg that usually come out of that house.

What do the higher powers above think of the corpses that we send up from our gallows, electric chairs and lethal chambers? How much better does our civilization seem up there than that of the ancient Mexicans that ripped out the heart of a living human sacrifice, offering that as a welcome gift to their gods.

How do our gifts to the Goddess of Justice impress real justice?

A PRISONER sent to life imprisonment joked and asked the criminal ahead of him to "step on the gas," meaning to walk faster. That man had stolen an automobile, it was his fourth offence and meant prison for life. Is that the best that human intelligence can do in the way of correction?

The suggestion, that such prisoners be allowed to volunteer as subjects for experiment in brain surgery, might be worth trying.

OUR PENAL INSTITUTIONS for "reforming criminals and teaching them to respect the law" are not a complete success. You read news from the Federal prison at Atlanta. The chaplain, cornered, confesses that he got $10,500 from rich bootleggers, divided the money with the prison authorities and thus the bootleggers bought "soft berths" in the prison.

ALSO, BOOTLEG PRISONERS are permitted to play poker with prison officials, at $50 limit, the officials using marked cards, and thus acquiring more of the bootleggers' money. You can imagine what profound respect for law and religion must fill the breast of the friendless, penniless convict, when he sees the solemn religious teacher selling favors for cash, and bootleggers gaining favor by losing at poker.

The lesson of reform that we teach criminals is "Be a bootlegger, not a piker."

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BULGAR-COMMUNIST WARFARE INCREASING

Sofia, Feb. 18.—The strife between the Bulgarian government and the Communists is growing in intensity.

Todor Strashinimoff, a Communist deputy, was shot and killed. His assassins, firing on their pursuers, wounded an army officer.

At Philippopolis the secretary of the police department was killed and the chief of police wounded in an ambush set by Communists.

Twenty Communists came over the Serbian border near Vidin and raided a village.

HUB SHIP DAMAGED IN CAPE SABLE CRASH

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 18 (I.N.S.).—The captain of the four-masted American schooner Wellington, Boston, reported today that the schooner's bow was damaged in a crash off Cape Sable with a small unidentified schooner during a fog. The fishing craft slid along the Wellington's side and disappeared. The captain of the Wellington said he was certain the unknown craft was not the Gloucester fishing schooner Republic, sank after a collision.

WOMAN SUING KEARNS ONCE SETTLED FOR $700

Los Angeles, Feb. 18.—Mrs. Mary C. Tenney, motion picture "extra," suing Jack Kearns for $200,000 as reparation for an alleged attack, admitted on the witness stand today that she had filed a similar suit against a wealthy merchant in Baltimore in 1922 and that she had settled for $700, half of which went to her attorney.

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COOLIDGE GIVES $10 ECONOMY PRIZE

Salem Girls Shock Elite as Garter Bells Jingle

ESTATE IS ROBBED OF $3,300

Providence, R. I., Feb. 18.—Charged with embezzling $3,300 from the estate of the late Dr. James H. Briggs, of which she was executrix, Mrs. Meena B. Nye of No. 108 Wesleyan avenue, is under arrest here and held in $5,000 bonds. The woman, who is fifty-eight years old, entered a plea of not guilty.

Under cross-examination in municipal court Mrs. Nye admitted she used assets of the estate to aid a blind nephew in business. The business was a failure, she said.

The missing funds were the property of John Waterman of Auburn, a half brother of Dr. Briggs.

'SAFETY FIRST' TALKS FOR LYNN CHILDREN

Beginning today pupils in the Breed school in Lynn are to receive daily short talks from their teachers on the danger of walking on railroad tracks. This means is being resorted to in an effort to curb the practice of some of them of walking on the tracks of the B. & M. between the Raddin station and the school, a distance of about a mile, as a short cut to and from school.

ECONOMY PRIZE BY COOLIDGE

Washington, Feb. 18.—An economy contest with a $10 prize award, one of the results of President Coolidge's economy program, closed today at the White House executive offices.

Mr. Coolidge, holding that economy should begin at home, recently inquired of Director Lord of the budget bureau as to how much of a saving should be made in the next year in the expenses of the executive offices. Director Lord is understood to have addressed the President that it ought to be possible to lop off $12,500.

Mr. Coolidge passed the word along to the office force and N. P. Webster, White House dispersing clerk, suggested the following notice to employes:

Although this office has been putting into effect economy for the past two years, it is necessary that further economies be brought about. It is desired that every employe of the office take a personal interest in this matter and make at least one suggestion.

As the official responsible in this matter, I shall be glad to award a prize of $10 from personal funds to the employe who submits the best suggestions for bringing about a reduction of expenses.

STAYS AT POST IN GAS FILLED ROOM

Elizabeth Melley, pictured above, is being praised today for her heroism in remaining at switchboard in Winchester telephone exchange where gas had leaked from broken main. Miss Melley put through an emergency call which saved herself and two associates from asphyxiation.

SCHOOL MAIDS SENT HOME FROM DANCE

Salem, Feb. 18.—It's really too dreadful. The faculty of Salem High School and the eminently respectable element of the community are scandalized.

Not since the days when the gibbeting of witches was a popular pastime has feeling been so intense.

Mercy!

If it had been New York, now, or Boston or some equally abandoned city.

But Salem, of all places!

Shudders are chasing themselves up and down the backs of the right-minded indignant.

The scandal occurred at the class day frolic of Salem High School, with Salem's elect in attendance.

Everything was proceeding in a decorous fashion when the audience was amazed to hear the gentle tinkle of bells. Listening closely, they discovered that the tintinnambulation emanated from girl juniors each time a step was taken or a limb moved.

Certain of the unregenerate who were present applauded lustily, but the faculty were made of sterner stuff. An investigation was undertaken which revealed the shocking truth that the girls had fastened bells to their garters.

Little remains to be told, in the words of Frank Ward O'Malley. The offenders were immediately sent home in disgrace, and the faculty are now thinking up some fitting punishment.

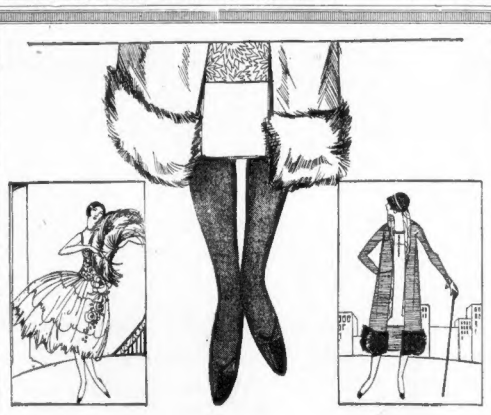
ATOMS SIGH WHEN THEY ARE STIRRED

Amherst, Feb. 18.—A sound resembling a human sigh is produced when the atoms of iron are stirred by a magnet placed near the metall, Professor S. R. Williams of Amherst College announced today. The sound, he said, was detected by a very sensitive amplifier used in a series of experiments aiming to correlate the changes of the length of steel when it is magnetized and the noise produced by magnetization.

The application of the principle of amplification to the study of magnetization has been made since the war, Professor Williams said. An apparatus consisting of two terminals planted in the earth will be used by belligerents during the war to catch telephone conversations of the enemy.

ESKIMO DOG TO SEEK HONORS AT SHOW

These New England Winters do not make much of a hit with a North Greenfield Eskimo dog, but Kyweear, owned by John M. Jaynes, No. 89 Oxford street, Somerville, is trying to make the best of it in his attempt to win a blue ribbon in the Eastern Dog Club show at Mechanics Building next week. Kyweear's owner was the chief engineer in the McMillan expedition which returned from the Far North a few months ago. He is shown here with his husky pet.



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PHONE GIRL IS HAILED AS HEROINE

Miss Elizabeth Melley, night telephone operator at Winchester, blushed today under a shower of encomiums for her heroism in saving two other night operators and herself from asphyxiation when gas leaked into the telephone exchange.

The other two night operators on duty, Mrs. Susan Kelley of Arlington, and Mrs. Ida F. Burness of Watertown, were overcome by the fumes and were it not for the courage of Miss Melley in remaining at her post, although herself nearly suffocated, both might have lost their lives.

Reeling in her chair, Miss Melley put through an emergency call to the police and collapsed when Patrolmen Burns and Roche burst into the telephone exchange through the front door.

The three operators were given first aid by the policemen and then were treated by physicians, after which they were sent home.

YOUTHFUL NEWLY-WEDS FLEE WRATHFUL PARENTS

Montclair, N. J., Feb. 18.—Ralph Gallucci, seventeen-year-old son of a wealthy Montclair family, and his fourteen-year-olds bride, Genevieve Vanderhoff Gallucci, daughter of Harry Vanderhoff of Pompton Lakes, remained in hiding here today from the anger of the girl's father, following her elopement on Sunday to Alexandria, Va., where she and Gallucci were married.

Vanderhoff said the marriage in Virginia was invalid in this State and that if he caught the youthful bridegroom he "would run him into the ground."

ODOR REVEALS CAR LOAD OF ALCOHOL

Brockton, Feb. 18.—A passerby in the Brockton freight yards smelling leakin galcohol, led to the discovery of three drums of high grade Belgian alcohol in a freight car.

An entire carload of alcohol had arrived at the yards and the consignees had removed all but the leaking barrel an dtwo others.

The police are still working on the case and arrests may follow, as the shipment is being traced.

FROTHINGHAM PUTS IN ADAMS MEMORIAL BILL

Mayor Perley D. Barbour of Quincy received a letter today from Congressman Louis Frothingham stating he had introduced a bill authorizing an appropriation of $5,000 for the erection of memorials in Quincy to John Adams and John Quincy Adams. The second and sixth presidents of the United States were born and buried in Quincy.

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SAYS EX-MRS. SPRECKELS PLANNED YACHT TRYST

Constantinople, Feb. 18.—Counsel for Princess Cheveklar, in her action for divorce, told the court today that the yachting trip which her husband made with the former Rolf Worth Spreckels, now Princess Suad Chakiar of San Francisco was premeditated. When Princess Chevekiar met the couple at the dock on their return it was a great surprise to them, added counsel. Attorneys for the defence deny the yachting trip was a romantic episode. The court has ordered the former Mrs. Spreckels to produce evidence to offset the accusation.

EPIDEMIC OF MEASLES CLOSES UPTON SCHOOLS

Upton, Feb. 18. — The public schools, Public Library and picture theatres of this town were ordered closed today by the town board of health because of an epidemic of German measles and grip. The action was taken at the request of Dr. Samuel R. Capen, school physician, who reported that seventy school children are already out of school because of the diseases.

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Princess Toumanov Takes Leading Part in Cabaret Supper Dance

Weird Russian Music Heightens Color of Entertainment Held in Assembly Room at No. 46 Beacon Street

By Betty Alden

WITH the Lenten days of festal inactivity in the offing, society's pace follows in rapid tempo a crowding round of entertainment and ceremonial. What with last evening's Russian cabaret supper dance, the dance for Eleanor Mason at the Chilton Club, and today's musical afternoon staged by Richard Platt at his Lime street house, every coterie finds the moments more than filled.

THE RUSSIAN CABARET came up to every high expectation of the most ardent enthusiasts, and wrote a brilliant climax to the succession of unusual festivities crowning the late season.

A COMPANY of the ultra elect thronged the Assembly Room of No. 46 Beacon street and roundly applauded number after number, as the talents of the Russian stars were evidenced in music and dance.

THE ENTIRE PROGRAM was of one brilliance—as well it might be, with the Princess Toumanov, Prince Toumanov, Madame Savitskaya, Madame Berestneff and Madame Plankova appearing therein.

ENTHUSIASM RAN high with the opening, a balalaica trio with piano, Messrs. Berestneff, Groves and Duralsky, with Prince Toumanov at the piano, making wild and music on the softly wailing stringed instruments so fitted to the Russian airs.

AND AT THE END of the program the very rafters rang with the delighted shouts and plaudits that followed the spirited Caucasian dances done by Messrs. Shingis Han and Natiboc.

NATIVE COSTUMES of the Southern Caucasus, of white with brilliant blue trappings and furry white shakos, set off the dark Slavic good looks of the two young men, and they made a dashing picture in their sword dance.

MADAME SAVITSKAYA'S numbers on the harp were a joy to hear, and she herself in white crepe heavily beaded was most pleasing to the eye. She is connected with the Boston Symphony, and formerly played with the Russian Imperial Music Society.

PRINCESS TOUMANOV sang the number, "Fortune Telling by Water," from "Havanshina," as the second feature of the thrilling program, and Madame Plankova in the white satin and fur court dress of a Russian princess was lovely to behold as she danced to the music of the balalaica trio.

Staff Photograph.

Mrs. Hendricks Hallet Whitman, one of smart society's absentees. She is spending the Winter in France and is not due back on this side for some time.

Tonight's Entertainment

DRAMA—
New Park—"New Brooms"—8:15 P. M.
Hollis—"The Swan"—8:15 P. M.
Wilbur—"Beggar on Horseback"—8:20 P. M.
Plymouth—"Simon Called Peter"—8:15 P. M.
Selwyn—"White Cargo"—8:15 P. M.
St. James—"Expressing Willie"—8:15 P. M.
MUSICAL—
Colonial—Ziegfeld Follies"—8:00 P. M.
Shubert—"Greenwich Village Follies"—8:10 P. M.
Tremont—"Peter Pan"—8:15 P. M.
FILMS—
Tremont Temple — "The Lost World"—8:10 P. M.
Fenway—"Salome of the Tenements."
State—"Dixie Handicap."
BURLESQUE—
Casino—"Stop and Go"—8:10 P. M.
Gayety — "Wine, Woman and Song"—8:10 P. M.

TO NAME THE PARTICULAR high lights of an evening that fairly scintillated with star performers is no mean task. And none were more popular with the smart audience than Madame and Mr. Eiler with their Gypsy songs and music.

MADAME EILER wore the multi-colored Romany dress and Mr. Eiler was in bright red satin and black velvet, most picturesque and quite the costume accompaniment for the merry airs.

PRINCE TOUMANOV held the audience enraptured with his artistry on the violin. And very loath were his hearers to desist in their applause and allow Captain Percy Creed, the master of ceremonies, to proceed with the program.

MRS. ROGER WOLCOTT was one of the many charmed with the Russians and their varied talents, and who showered much praise. She was with a group which included Mr. and Mrs. J. Lovell Little.

OTHERS NOTED OF the fashionable set were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sumner Bird, Jr., Mrs. Bird in cinnamon brown with finest embroidery; Mr. and Mrs. Eben Draper, Mrs. Daniel De Menocal and Mr. and Mrs. Sohier Welch.

ELLA SNELLING and Mrs. Moorhead Patterson, Mrs. George Lyman, Jr., Mary Vinton Murray with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. Morris Murray, Miss Suzanne Dabney, Mrs. J. Lewis Bremer and Mrs. Augustus Thorndike, Jr., were of the assemblage.

ALSO MRS. EDWARD JACKSON HOLMES, very handsome in emerald velvet with golden brown tulle, Mrs. John Chipman Gray, and Mrs. Charles Sumner Bird. Mrs. Charles Fanning Ayer was a handsome matron in gray net with a cluster of roses at one shoulder, and Mrs. Maynard Ladd was in brilliant turquoise metal cloth.

BOTH NANCY AND JEAN PATTEN were there, the former in silver cloth and the latter in white. Janet Bishop, in a shortly like black crepe, and Bess Armstrong, in vivid red, were of a table group with Mrs. Harold Coolidge playing the chaperone. Mrs. Coolidge was handsomely attired in a figured net showing robin's egg blue and deep rose tones.

I SAW MRS. CHARLES PORTER, a stately figure in green crepe, and also Mrs. Oliver Wolcott, in apricot chiffon. Mrs. George Lee was in black with pearls, and Mrs. Manning Emory, to whom much of the success of the affair is due, was attired in black velvet with silvery-blue metal cloth.

SPEAKING OF MRS. EMORY, Mrs. Gardiner Davis and other of the moving spirits of Boston's first Russian cabaret, mention must be made of those two energetic members of the Russian colony to whom thanks are also due—Mr. Constantine Belash and Captain Michael M. Ousbensky.

AND TO PRINCE TOUMANOV and the Princess, and many others of the colony as well, who are, of course, much elated that their initial effort was so vastly successful.

NO AFFAIR OF RUSSIAN flavor is quite complete without the presence of that notable matron, Madame Jacouline, who was greeted on all sides by her hosts of friends. She was a delighted spectator during the entertainment, and later during the supper hour, when delicious Russian dishes were served in the candle-lighted supper room, she held a small court.

OF WIDE INTEREST and most important is the wedding day of Eleanora Winslow and Leonard Jacob, 2d, set—according to present plans—for Saturday next. The ceremonial will be performed in the early afternoon in the Leslie Lindsay Chapel of Emmanuel Church, the "Lady Chapel," so called.

THE CEREMONIAL IS to be rather small—the Lady Chapel is designed for a company of not more than one hundred and fifty—and there will be no ushers. On Tuesday next the young people are sailing southward bound for Chile, where Mr. Jacob has his business affiliations.

LATER PLANS, I HEAR, take them eventually to the Gem of South American cities, Rio de Janeiro. Much to the regret, of course, of Miss Winslow's hosts of friends and connection in the ultra smart set here, is the news that the new home is to be established so very far away.

THE ENGAGEMENT, announced in January, came as a great surprise. Just as Miss Winslow had elected to follow other smart set matrons who voyaged into the world of business, Mr. Jacob is the son of the late William H. Jacob and Mrs. Jacob, is a Williams College man and served as a junior lieutenant overseas in the World War.

HIS SISTER, FORMERLY Mary Jacob, first married "Dicky" Peabody, and later became the wife of Henry Grew Crosby, son of the Stephen Van Rensselaer Crosbys, and nephew of Mrs. Boylston Beal.

AS FOR THE DEBUTANTE set, they made merry at the Chilton Club in honor of charming Eleanor Mason, for whom Mrs. Charles Mason, her aunt, gave a dinner and dance, mainly for the young set.

MISS MASON IS the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mason of Ipswich and Boston, and is much in evidence wherever and whenever the buds foregather, which is quite every where during this highly festal present season.

Leonard Jacob, 2d's, to Take Up Residence at Chile After Wedding Next Saturday

EMILY WOODS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Woods of New York, came over for the Mason dance, and will stay on for the dance Mr. and Mrs. G. Herbert Windeler give tomorrow evening at the Somerset Hotel for their daughter, Evelyn Windeler.

MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH WOODS of Chestnut street are Miss Emily's uncle and aunt on the paternal side, and she is their house guest during her stay in town.

ELLEN FROTHINGHAM, daughter of Dr. Langdon Frothingham and Mrs. Frothingham, is assisting this afternoon at the tea tables for Mr. Platt's musicale. Miss Frothingham was a brilliant figure in black and white satin in checkerboard design, with white wig and patches—a Lady of the French Court—for the recent Fine Arts Ball which set every tongue talking of its beauty and variety.

SUZANNE APSEY, sister debutante of Miss Frothingham, and daughter of the Albert Apseys of Brattle street, Cambridge, also is to pour, and for the musical feast Mr. Platt provides Philip Bunker, pianist, and George Boynton, tenor.

LEON GORDON TO APPEAL 'WHITE CARGO' RULING

There's nothing "piratical" in the makeup of Leon Gordon, successful young playwright and actor, now playing the lead in his own play "White Cargo," at the Selwyn Theatre.

He's been charged with "pirating" his sensational play of white men in "Darkest Africa," and Federal Judge Knox in New York city held that "White Cargo" is based on the novel "Hell's Playground," written by Ida Vera Simonton, on whose legal action the court made its ruling.

But Gordon isn't worrying about it.

He's been up against the same sort of thing before.

He talked briefly about the litigation in his dressing-room just before the curtain rose.

"I've just heard of Judge Knox's ruling," he said.

"I do not wish to embarrass the court, the woman who brought the action, or the public, so I will refrain from commenting on the opinion handed down in New York.

"Just say, please, that I have asked my lawyers to enter immediate appeal from the decision. Many months ago we were confronted with a similar action in the courts of New York and an order for an injunction against me and an accounting of receipts from "White Cargo" was refused.

"Please just say for Leon Gordon that he's 'pirating' no plays, nor plagiarizing. That's all now."

"White Cargo" is now in its second year on Broadway. And aside from the Boston company, ten others are playing to crowded houses all over this country and abroad.

BAY STATE STATION ON RADIO HONOR ROLL

Washington, Feb. 18 (I.N.S.).—The world's greatest radio "air police" are maintained at the United States Bureau of Standards. This organization, charged with the task of keeping broadcasters within their allocated wave bands, announced today that during the last fourteen months thirteen American stations have averaged less than three-tenths of one per cent. deviation from assigned frequencies. Honor roll stations included WSO, Marion, Mass.; WEAF, New York; WCAE, Washington, and KDKA, Pittsburgh. The bureau is perfecting instruments to determine the necessary distances between stations operating on the same power and wave length.

Shock in Windward Isles

Kingston, St. Vincent, Feb. 18.—Advices received here from Grenada, British island in the Windward group, announce that a prolonged earthquake was experienced there at 10:40 o'clock last night. The advices make no mention of any casualties or damage.

GREAT FLOOD OF LIMERICKS POURING IN

Continued from First Page.

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can be assured that there are no geographical lines in this contest. If you live up in Kohotchee, Maine, you have as much chance as any Bostonian. But you must get your answers in by the third day after publication of the Limerick you are competing in.

Professional poets on Beacon Hill, housewives in Dorchester and trackers of the Maine woods are, at heart, as one in wooing the muse in this grand poetic competition.

Every one has the talent for witty and poetic expression in you. All you have to do is to give it full rein.

Here is a game that calls for no "conditions" to be fulfilled to make you eligible. Many of you have served the poetic apprenticeship in the days when feminine pulchritude first stirred you to love sighs. That is much in your favor. Others of you have been moved to word effusions at the beauty and languor of the country in the Spring. Again, so much in your favor.

But there are thousands of you whose minds are stimulated by thoughts amusing and burlesquing. Then here's the very pastime to tickle and feed that mental turn.

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Don't write a complete limerick. Just one missing line is all that is required, but you may have as many as seven contributions, if you desire.

That missing line must have the right metre, for funny, if you make it so, and be in keeping with the rest of the limerick. It must be a line that rhymes with and brings to a happy conclusion the line left supplied you. What could be easier?

It may take you a few days to get into the swing of the thing, particularly the metre-beat of the verse. But keep at it and you'll find it the merriest and most fascinating pastime ever. And watch your output improve and your wits grow more nimble every day.

Jot down that clever last line that comes to mind and mail it in to the Limerick Contest Editor. Here's why:

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FUNERAL IN SPRINGFIELD FOR MRS. FITZGERALD

Funral services for Mrs. Thomas A. Fitzgerald, wife of the eldest son of John F. Fitzgerald, former Mayor of Boston, will be held at the Church of the Holy Name at Springfield at 7:30 Friday morning. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated. Following the Springfield services the body will be brought to Boston, arriving in this city at about 11:30 a. m. Burial will be in St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury. Mrs. Fitzgerald was Miss Marion Ward Reardon, daughter of Mrs. William H. Reardon of Dorchester.

SECOND THEFT CHARGE AGAINST CASHIER

Springfield, Feb. 18.—George N. Cook, 37 years old, of Batavia street, was arrested today charged with theft of $1,500 from the Central Massachusetts Electric Light Company of Palmer, Cook was cashier. Two weeks ago Cook was arrested charged with larceny of $500. An audit of the company's books disclosed a discrepancy of more than $2,000.

GROWERS WILL SEEK LOWER TOBACCO TAXES

Hartford, Feb. 18.—The situation confronting the New England tobacco farmer is no serious that unless Congress gives relief in lower internal revenue taxes on cigars, tobacco growers in this section will be greatly diminished, said Joseph W. Alsop at the annual meeting of the New England Tobacco Growers' Association here. The situation will be called to the attention of Congress.

Ex-Congressman Dies

Greenwich, Conn., Feb. 18.—William Ryan, 85, of Port Chester, N. Y., former Congressman from that district, is dead at Crescent City, Fla., according to word received here today.

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DEFENSE DENIES MRS. COTE PLOTTED HUSBAND'S DEATH FOR LOVE

FIELDING SAYS ACCUSED WIFE OFFERED AUTO FOR CRIME

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old daughter, whom Fielding said knew all about her mother's urgings that he kill her stepfather.

Fielding declared that he considered Susie's only purpose in visiting him at the jail was to "pump" him to see what he was going to testify.

Q.—Do you think that was the purpose of Susie's visit? A.—What else could it be when she asked me what I was going to do?

At this point Attorney Nixon referred to a letter among the state exhibits. Fielding said it was not in his handwriting, but admitted he had dictated it to Detective Dudway. This letter was sent to Mrs. Cote under a sort of camouflage. It was dictated on Christmas day.

SENT CAMOUFLAGE LETTER.

It read:

"Dear Friend, I was glad to hear from you and glad to hear you are well. I have been awful sick and feeling fairly well just now.

"You ask me if I had some money. No, I haven't any at all. I would like to see Susie and talk to her. I may lose my place and everything else. When I feel better I will write more. Write soon and let me know what you want me to do. I also thank you very much for the candy. We don't get any over here. Good-bye.

"You know who."

Counsel for the defense then proceeded to show by this letter a communication between Mrs. Cote and Fielding and how she had sent him candy.

After declaring he had "difficulty" in understanding some questions, Fielding was asked by Attorney Nixon:

Q.—Were you angry with Mrs. Cote because shre had told Cote about your attentions to her? A.—No. I didn't know anything about it.

Q.—You know Leo Bollier was not on good terms with Cote? A.—Yes.

Q.—Coming to that time you met Mrs. Cote in Gorham when she was with Bollier. Did you telephone to her or did she telephone to you? A.—I don't remember.

Q.—What did you meet Mrs. Cote in Gorham that day for? A.—For affection.

Q.—Did you ask Bollier to come to Portland with you to get a warrant for the arrest of Cote for insulting your wife? A.—Yes.

Q.—How did he insult your wife? A.—Called her a name.

Q.—Was there anything else Cote did that made you angry with him? A.—Not that I ca nremember.

Q.—There was that affair in July? A.—Yes.

Q.—And you say you made up and shook hands on that? A.—Yes. And we made up and shook hands on the other for which I was going to get a warrant.

Q.—Did you ever accuse Cote of abusing cattle? A.—No.

Q.—Did you ever tell anybody that he abused his wife? A.—No.

HEARD COTE QUARREL.

Q.—Did you ever tell anyone that if Cote didn't stop abusing that little woman you were going to "muckle" up with him? A.—No.

Q.—Did you ever hear arguments between Cote and his wife? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did Bollier have any reason to take action against Cote? A.—Yes.

Q.—What was it? A.—I don't remember.

Q.—Did you seek the advice of a lawyer after that meeting in Gorham with Mrs. Cote and Leo Bollier? A.—Yes, Judge Lyons of Westbrook. He told me I had better keep away from the Cote place.

Q.—Did he tell you you ought to keep your wife away, too? A.—No.

Q.—Did he know your wife and Mrs. Cote were related? A.—He seemed to.

Q.—Did Judge Lyons tell you to keep away after you had told him about Cote insulting your wife? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you tell Judge Lyons you were going to the Cote place any time you desired in spite of Cote? A.—I don't recall whether I did or not.

OFFERED AUTO FOR CRIME.

Q.—Did I understand you right when you testified that Mrs. Cote was so pleased when you murdered her husband that she offered you a house and car? A.—Yes.

Q.—What kind of a house did she promise to give you and your family? A.—A cottage.

Q.—Where was it to be located? A.—I don't know.

Q.—So you were not sufficiently interested in the reward she offered you to find out? A.—No, we didn't discuss it much. There were too many around.

Q.—But I thought yo utestified that Susie and Ralph knew all about it, that Roland was the only one who didn't know about the murder plot? A.—I mean that nobody knew what Mrs. Cote promised me. The fact that she agreed to give me a house and a nice car was a secret between her and me and we didn't talk about it in the presence of others.

Q.—Did you ever receive an injury to your head? A.—Yes, while working on the Federal Court building.

Q.—What happened? A.—A wrench fell and struck me on the head.

Q.—Did you ever tell your attorney that injury did effect you? A.—Not that I can remember.

Q.—When did that happen? A.—It was while I was learning my trade as plumber. Thirteen years ago.

Q.—Was Mrs. Cote married when you first became acquainted with her? A.—No.

Q.—And the relations between Mrs. Cote and your wife have always been pleasant, almost like that of sister? A.—Yes.

Q.—After leaving the lifeless body of Cote out there in the field did you exchange affections with his wife? A.—I did.

Q.—What time htat night? A.—Between 9 and 11.

Q.—Can't you give us the exact time? A.—No I didn't look at my watch and I'm not going to lie because you try to make me say something that isn't so.

Q.—Im trying to make you tell the truth, God knows. A.—I don't know the exact time.

Q.—Wasn't Susie downstairs at the time? A.—No, she and the others had gone to bed.

Q.—But didn't you testify yesterday that Susie went up and called her mother who had gone to bed earlier? A.—She did and stayed up after her mother came down.

EMBRACE AFTER CRIME.

Q.—And then you adjourned to the pantry for your affections instead of using the parlor or dining room? A.—Yes.

Q.—Was little Freddie Cote upstairs that night, too? A.—Yes.

Q.—And Ralph and Roland? A.—Yes.

Q.—And you and Mrs. Cote shared affections in the pantry on the night of the murder? A.—Yes.

Q.—And did you go hunting with George Clement on the day after the murder? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you enjoy yourselves, have a pleasant time? A.—Yes, we enjoyed ourselves as best we could.

Q.—Did you ever throw a wrench at one of your workmen at Bonny Lake? A.—Yes. We had a little argument.

Q.—After the murder did you have a feeling that you would spend the rest of your days in prison? A.—I had my mind made up that I was going to get a long term.

Mrs. Cote's so-called confession, a statement signed by her son after her arrest for complicity in the murder, was offered in evidence as one of the final shots by the prosecution.

In this statement Mrs. Cote claimed Fielding decided to "fix" Cote because Cote was "killing her by inches."

"You really welcomed his death at Fielding's hands and Fielding knew it?" Mrs. Cote was asked in this statement by County Solicitor Ralph M. Ingalls, who interrogated her at this time.

"He knew I wanted him (Cote) out of the way," replied Mrs. Cote. "He (Cote) told me that if I ever got a divorce from him he would make it warm for me all my life."

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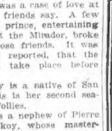
THRONG COURT AT COTE TRIAL

Trial of Mrs. Lottie F. Cote at Portland, Me., for alleged complicity in the murder of her husband is attracting large crowds of women and girls in the Maine city. Photo shows part of crowd waiting chance to enter the courthouse.

MOSCOW PRINCE WINS HAND OF FOLLIES GIRL

New York, Feb. 18 (I.N.S.).—International relations between Moscow and Forty-second street were further cemented today by the engagement of Flo Kennedy, Follies beauty, to Prince Youcia Troubetskoy, nephew of the famous sculptor, and confidante and confidant of the late Czar.



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Flo Kennedy.

Miss Kennedy, who is one of the most talked-of members of Ziegfeld's cast, met the Prince only three weeks ago. It was a case of love at first sight, her friends say. A few nights ago, the prince, entertaining in her honor at the Mirador, broke the news to close friends. It was agreed, it was reported, that the wedding would take place before Easter.

Miss Kennedy is a native of San Francisco. This is her second season with the Follies.

The Prince is a nephew of Pierre Paul Troubetskoy, whose masterpiece is a bronze equestrian statue of Czar Alexander III. at Petrograd.

JAMAICA PLAIN FOLK TO HONOR ENGLERT

A reception and dinner will be given to John F. Englert, superintendent of public buildings of the city of Boston, on February 24 at Arbetter Hall, Jamaica Plain.

Extensive plans have been made for a "big night." Invitations have been extended to the State, county and city officials who have served in public life with "Johnnie," as he is known to all his friends.

The committee on arrangements include: Joseph M. Ward, Bernard P. Casey, John J. Carey, James P. Maguire, James S. Kenney, James A. Darcy, Robert Dunlap, Philip Riley, Michael McNulty, Thomas Madden, Gus Kerrigan, John J. Dow, Senator Thomas H. Green, Senator Thomas F. Donovan, Representative Charles H. Slowey, Martin Sessler, Otto Reidel, Leo Helfrich, Robert Sullivan, James Casey, William C. Kohl, Daniel J. Ellen, Captain Charles G. Keen, Dr. Martin Spellman and Samuel Kasanoff.

RESEARCH PACT WITH GERMAN ELECTRIC FIRM

New York, Feb. 18.—The Westinghouse and Siemens & Halske electrical interests, two of the biggest concerns in the industry, have entered into a ten-year agreement by which the American and German organizations will benefit mutually from research, invention and electrical methods, it was learned today. The Siemens group, which recently obtained a loan of $10,000,000 in the American market, maintains one of the most highly developed laboratories for electrical research in the world.

BILL FAVORED GIVING POLICE MORE PAY

After voting to report a bill providing an increase to $2,200 a year in the maximum wages of Boston policemen, the majority of the legislative Committee on Metropolitan Affairs, in an unofficial poll, favored a bill giving Commissioner Herbert A. Wilson power to appoint 100 extra men over the head of Mayor Curley. The present maximum is $2,000.

The poll was taken at the request of Commissioner Wilson on his petition for authority to appoint 200 men. While the committee did not favor the increase in the number of men asked by the commissioner, the majority were willing to authorize 100 more patrolmen.

For some time past the Mayor and police commissioner have been at odds over the question of increasing the number of policemen. The Mayor has refused to give the permission which the present law requires, with the result the commissioner has planned to seek authority from the Legislature. Today's unofficial poll was the result.

It is understood a bill will be introduced immediately granting authority to appoint 10 0patrolmen.

Legion Man Gets Post

Washington, Feb. 18.—Thomas J. Bannigan today was appointed regional manager of the Veterans' bureau at Hartford, Conn. He is former vice-commander of the American Legion.

JAP PUBLISHER VISITS HEARST BUILDING

Praises Spirit Behind Boston Evening American After Inspection of Plant

Nagataka Murayama, millionaire Japanese newspaper owner, and president of the corporation which publishes the Tokyo News and the Osaka News, with a combined daily circulation of more than 1,500,000 copies, and a party of Tokyo newspapermen and engineers, after a complete inspection of the Boston Evening American's new plant in Winthrop square, highly praised the spirit and enterprise behind New England's foremost home newspaper.

"The American's home is the finest newspaper plant we have yet visited in this country or Canada," said Mr. Murayama.

"Cleanliness and efficiency in your plant combined with your remarkable news-gathering facilities and mechanical equipment are factors in your record of achievement here in New England.

"The makeup of the Boston American, too, has won our complete admiration. We feel that upon your hundreds of thousands of readers must realize that in your paper they have a safe and reliable and attractive medium."

In the party were Mr. Murayama, Jazaburo Ishii B. B. Arch, architect of the Takenaka Komiei contractors; Tatsuo Esaki of the Tokyo News engineering staff and S. Kitamoto of the engineering staff of Mitsui & Company. They were escorted by Ray Willoughby of the Boston office of R. Hoe & Company, manufacturers of presses.

McDERMOTT BEGINS LONG PRISON TERM

Frank S. McDermott, Waltham grocer, convicted on 117 counts of receiving stolen property and on two counts of conspiracy in connection with the theft of $30,000 in groceries from the United Wholesale Grocery Company of Worcester began to serve a three to five-year term in State prison today.

Led weeping from the East Cambridge court after sentence had been imposed by Judge Walsh, McDermott was in a state of virtual collapse.

Samuel Reines of Worcester, former receiving clerk of the grocery firm who was convicted as an accessory before the robbery and for conspiracy, was sentenced to 2S months in the House of Correction in Worcester.

MALDEN ALDERMEN REJECT MAYOR'S MAN

First friction between Mayor John D. Devir of Malden and the Board of Aldermen developed when the board rejected the nomination of Captain C. David Berg for fire commissioner and that of former Alderman Joseph Hoffman for street and water commissioner.

JUDGE MORTON HITS TRUTH DIGRESSION

Not Impressed With Witness' Argument That Sometimes Lies Are Necessary

Digressions from the truth on the part of federal agents seeking evidence and arrests in liquor cases were frowned upon today by Judge James M. Morton, when the case of the British schooner Marjorie E. Bachman was again in federal court.

At one point in the trial admission by a federal officer that it was sometimes necessary to lie "in this business" caused Judge Morton to declare he did not care to hear any more evidence in the case. During a recess he agreed to hear the evidence of other government witnesses.

The Bachman was seized October 24 of last year by the Tampa, after government officers in a sea sled had purchased several cases of liquor.

John Glutsch, a special agent of the Internal Revenue Department, one of the officers in the sea sled, was the first witness called. He testified that twenty-five cases of liquor were purchased from the schooner, some twenty miles off Boston Light. It was necessary five minutes later, he said, to throw the great part of this liquor overboard because the sea sled would not "plane."

Asked if he did not tell Supercargo Harold Young of the Bachman the sea sled had a speed of only fifteen miles an hour, when in reality it could travel forty miles an hour, Glutsch admitted it was possible he did.

"You wouldn't tell a lie?" asked Attorney William H. Lewis, counsel for the schooner.

"Sometimes it is necessary in this business," answered Glutsch.

"This whole trip from beginning to end was a government expedition, wasn't it?" interposed the court.

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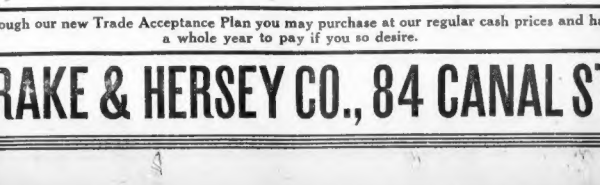

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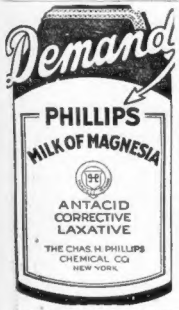
An emergency system, made up of complicated rerouttings and hook-ups has restored partial service out of Boston. None but emergency calls can be put through without long delay, however.

WNAC and WEEI, Boston radio broadcasting studios, have been hooked up with a temporary wiring. Approximately 200 of the 1,400 New England toll circuits, put out of commission by the fire, have been restored.



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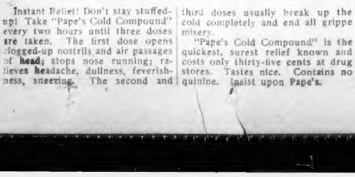

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(As Told to W. B. Seabrook)

CHAPTER XXIII.

JACK DEMPSEY is proud of the fact that his friends in every walk of life consider him "a gentleman." He takes it rather seriously, and tries, I believe, at all times to live up to his idea of the true meaning of that appellation.

But he gives no credit to the "Book of Etiquette," which he and Jack Kearns bought and read together, soon after they first became famous and rich.

He had mentioned to me several times, with a grin, that they did buy such a book, and today I got him to talk about it in detail. Here is the story, in his own words:

"Soon after the Toledo fight Kearns and I began meeting all sorts of people, big bugs and swells, and it wasn't their fault if we sometimes felt embarrassed. They acted just like anybody else, but when we began to be invited around, to dinners and even to house parties, we used to feel worried and restless, if you know what I mean, for fear we might be saying the wrong thing, or eating with the wrong spoon. We had heard about the 'book of etiquette stuff, like everybody else, and we figured it wouldn't hurt us to get one and read it.

A DELICATE MATTER.

"The only book man I knew was a dealer over on Third avenue, named Sam Levinson, that I used to go bird hunting with. I had once bought a dog from him, but I never thought I'd buy ons of his books.

"We dropped over one day, though, and told him what we wanted, and he said, 'Well, I've got about six, and you'd better look 'em over and pick out the one you want.' And we did. We were not in any hurry and we pawed through them for about an hour.

"You'd think I'm making it up for a joke—the stuff we found in some of those books—except that the books are there themselves, for anybody to read and know I'm telling you the truth.

"There was one expensive looking one that told almost on the first page about a woman that got into the Four Hundred by eating a live caterpillar on a leaf of lettuce. And there was one with a paper back, for a quarter, that said the way for a man to get into society and be a gentleman was to have two coats —seems he could make it with one pair of pants, but there must be two coats, and one of them must have a long tail.

"All of them went strong on the idea that when you were invited out to dinner you had to eat whatever was put before you, if it killed you. Then your hostess would ask you to come again. The book we finally bought and carried away, because it seemed to have a lot of sensible stuff in it, along with the bunk, told on the very first page how Julius Caesar got to be Emperor of Rome or something by eating rancid butter at a banquet.

"And in that same book there was another thing that was a scream to me. It said, 'When calling on a lady who receives him alone, a gentleman seldom lingers long if another gentleman puts in an appearance.' Fire escape stuff! I knew a guy in Colorado who would be alive today if he'd acted on that.

GOOD IN SPOTS.

"Of course, it was not all that kind of junk. Some of it was pretty good, I guess, except that you'd never be comfortable at a dinner or a party if you tried to remember all the things it told you.

"There's good sense for some of the rules—one of the smartest women I know explained the why of it to me afterward. You don't leave your spoon in the coffee cup because it makes other people nervous for fear you'll knock it over with your sleeve and mess it all over the table. And you don't eat with your knife because it makes the others nervous for fear you'll cut yourself.

"Some of the other stuff is the bunk, though. It said you must always eat ice cream with a fork, and that you must never cut up salads. I've noticed since that the real ladies and gentlemen do exactly what they please about things like that, and that nobody pays any attention.

"My real kick on the book is that it sets down a lot of stupid things that you were supposed to say when you went to places, and when you met people, and when you went away. If you really talked the way they told you to, you might be a gentleman, but believe me, you'd be dull.

"Well, I got the book, anyway, and read most of it, and pretty soon afterward I got to know some of these society people better—and then I went down to a week-end house party with Mr. Samuel S. Vauclain outside Philadelphia, where they had Judge Gary, and Mr. Charlie Schwab and some other famous people—and pretty soon after that I went to Europe, and was having lunch with Lord and Lady Lonsdale, and supper with Lord Castlereigh and a lot of titled ladies, and swapping hunting stories with the Duke of York, and going to a grand ball in Le Tellier's house in Paris, where they had duchesses and princesses—and I gradually got through my head a thing that is dogoned interesting—and that is the real reason for my telling you all the rest of this stuff.

NATURE'S OWN COURSE.

"I found out that both in America and Europe, the real, honest-to-good ladies and gentlemen, the ones in big society, and whose families have been it for a long time, I found out that the real trick about them is that they do exactly as they please. They don't go by books of etiquette. I saw the Duchess of Westminster, at a dinner in the Savoy, pop the whole of a squashy little cake into her mouth, like a kid at a party, and lick her fingers afterward—and everybody laughed and thought it was cute. And I heard an old duchess use language that my mother would have whipped me for when I was a kid.

"And, right here in New York, I saw a lady whose name is all over the society pages—it was at a lunch where they were talking about some big charity scheme she had for a hospital for crippled children—I saw her eat a piece of fish with a soup spoon. She didn't know what she was eating with, or what she was eating. She was thinking of something more important. And she could have eaten it with her fingers—and she would still have been a lady.

"It seems to me that if you want to see people acting the way those books say, you've got to see a certain kind of rich chorus girl, or you've got to see people who are afraid they'll be wrong, when they're trying to throw a heavy bluff that they're right—that they're the real thing.

"Of course there are show-girls that happen to be real ladies, and that's another thing. But no chorus girl who wants to be thought a lady would dare to act the way a real lady acts. And it's a little bit the same way with men—though men don't seem to care so much about such things.

"The best idea I've got of what a real gentleman is, is something I didn't get out of any etiquette book. I don't think I duped it out myself. I think I must have heard it somewhere, and that it stuck in my mind. A gentleman is a man who never rubs anybody else the wrong way—except deliberately. Never give offence, except intentionally.' I think that's the way I heard it, and it seems to me to cover the whole thing, if you figure it out.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

In the next chapter Jack Dempsey tells of his friendship with Samuel S. Vauclain, multi-millionaire head of the Baldwin locomotive works, of a house party at the Vauclain home—of luncheon with Judge Gary, Charles Schwab and other great captains of industry.

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Etiquette is liberal, the Champion believes, since he saw the Duchess of Westminster, pictured above, at dinner and heard another Duchess use language that he would have been spanked for when a kid.

Good Manners a Matter of Common Sense and Natural Decency, He Says

BOMB AND GAS WRECK PITTSBURGH BUILDINGS

Pittsburgh, Feb. 18.—Three buildings in the Penn avenue wholesale produce district of Pittsburgh were demolished by a series of explosions early today with a loss of $125,000. Windows in a score of other buildings were shattered. Many residents of the district were thrown from their beds by the force of the blast. They escaped with minor injuries. After an investigation, Fire Marshal Pfarr reported he believed the first explosion was a dynamite bomb, set off in one of the buildings. This blast, he said, was followed by gas explosions.

WIDOW CLAIMS BODY OF SING SING SUICIDE

Ossining, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Mrs. Edna Ford of Brooklyn has claimed the body of her husband, William Ford, who committed suicide Monday night by hanging in his death-house cell in Sing Sing. An undertaker came to Ossining and prepared the body for shipment to Brooklyn today.

Mrs. Ford, who was reported yesterday to be dying from a malady that defied diagnosis, asked for the body by letter. She is penniless and without relatives, her friends said.

MUSSOLINI BETTER; SOON ABLE TO BE UP

Rome, Feb. 18 (A.P.).—Premier Mussolini, who has been suffering from a slight attack of influenza, was found by his physician today with a temperature almost normal and with the other symptoms of his illness, such as headache and rheumatic pains, almost completely gone. These indications gave Dr. Giuseppe Bastianelli, attending the Premier, the impression that the patient will be able to leave his bed.

FIN. COM. HEAD LAUDS MEDALS FOR FIREMEN

Will Arouse Keen Competition in Department, Says Judge Sullivan

"It is a splendid idea and has my hearty support," said Judge Michael H. Sullivan, chairman of the Finance Commission, of the plan of the Boston Evening American to award two fire fighters each year with diamond medals for meritorious service and also to give $100 to the wife, mother, sister or woman next to kin of the heroic fireman.

"This branch of the public service should be recognized," said Judge Sullivan. "It will tend to eliminate the idea in the minds of the firemen that they are being neglected when they have performed some meritorious deed of heroism, which they are doing practically every day without even a mention of it being made to the public.

"I am glad to see that the Boston Evening American will publicly recognize such deeds.

"The life of a fireman is not a pleasant one. He is housed in quarters most of the time and is exposed to all sorts of dangers while responding to fires.

"He has not the advantage of the policeman, who is about streets, mingling with the public and has something at all times to attract his attention and occupy his mind.

"He is decidedly unlike the policeman and the soldier in this respect. The latter vocations are affiliated with large groups of men, while the fireman must confine himself in some instances to less than a dozen of his fellow workers.

"I mention this fact because I think that the idea of the Boston Evening American in awarding these diamond medals will have a tendency to arouse a generous discussion and bees of the fire department. It will cause competition among the members themselves to think about, especially the honor that goes with the award of such a medal as proposed by the Boston Evening American."

Bull Moose Bucks Machine; State Asked to Pay

Augusta, Me., Feb. 18.—Representative Bartlett of Bangor introduced a resolve in the Maine Legislature appropriating $500.18 in favor of Dr. Edward T. Murray of East Millinocket for damages done to his automobile as a result of a collision with a wild moose. The statement of facts accompanying the resolve says that on the night of July 2, 1924, Dr. Murray was driving between East Millinocket and Millinocket on a sick call, when, without any warning, a large moose ran into his car and demolished it.

MISS MacSWINEY TO SPEAK HERE TONIGHT

Plans have been made by the four Charlestown councils of the A. A. R. I. R. to attend a meeting of all the councils of Boston in the Boston Teachers' College, Huntington and Longwood avenues, tonight at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by Miss Mary MacSwiney, sister of the late Terrance MacSwiney, Mayor of Cork, Ireland.

INSANE WOMAN PRISONER IS IDENTIFIED

New Bedford Man Identifies Danvers Inmate Who Was Stricken in Salem Jail

Danvers, Feb. 18.—Edward St. Germaine, twenty-two years old, of New Bedford, has identified the young woman who was stricken violently insane at the Salem House of Correction on February 5, as his wife. Identification was made at the State Hospital here.

St. Germaine said he suspected the woman might be his wife from descriptions of her published in the newspapers.

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Lea Pilarica Trio 8:15
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2:36 Pepito the Spanish Clown 8:30
2:52 Mr. & Mrs. JIMMY BARRY 8:52
3:14 DOROTHY JARDON 9:14
3:37 HERMAN TIMBERG 9:37
3:56 "THE REBELLION" 9:56
with Sammy Timberg
4:20 MARY HAYNES 10:20
4:35 Mankin 10:35
Next Week: Pat Rooney, & Show Pat. 25

SHUBERT WILBUR EVES. at 8:02 POP. MAT. TODAY at 2:05
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PLANES NEEDED FOR WINTER DEFENSES

Maneuvres at Mackinac Show Attacks Possible Even in in Zero Weather

Camp Skeel, Oscoda, Mich., Feb. 18.—Equipped with a suitable number of fighting planes, the first pursuit group could operate anywhere within a radius of 400 or 500 miles of its base, and support itself without outside agencies, Major T. G. Lanphier, head of the mid-winter maneuvers being held here, believes.

In two days the first group has moved itself from its Selfridge Field home to a base here and then continued on 125 miles to fight an imaginary battle in defence of the Straits of Mackinac. Actual flying time from Selfridge Field to the battle ground was little more than three hours.

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Winter defence, the demonstration has proved in the opinion of its leader. Accidents due to cold weather are to be expected. Major Lanphier holds and auxiliary planes must be ready to take the place of those disabled.

Two frozen reserve oil tanks and a cracked expansion tank were the result of the first night on the ice of Lake Van Etten. Engine trouble developed on another after getting into the air, cutting the number of planes that actually took part in the maneuvres to six.

Fire Ruins Autos

Fire today in the barn of Henry Christian on Union street, Quincy, destroyed two automobiles and caused damage estimated at $1,000.

Champ Coffee Drinker Asks for Title

Washington, Feb. 18.—Claiming the world's championship as a coffee drinker, Edward Ostrander of Newark, N. J., applied today to Secretary Hoover for the title.

Ostrander says he drinks 12 cups every weekday and four cups on Sunday, making 7,704 cups a year. He has maintained this average for many years, according to his letter to Hoover.

The Department of Commerce figures show that the per capita consumption is approximately 500 cups annually.

LINCOLN'S LAST DAY TOPIC OF RATHBONE

Congressman Whose Father Tried to Shield Leader From Shot to Speak in Hub

The graphic story of the last day of Abraham Lincoln, culminating in his assassination at Ford's Theatre, will be told tonight at the Copley Plaza before the Middlesex Club by Henry R. Rathbone, Congressman from Illinois.

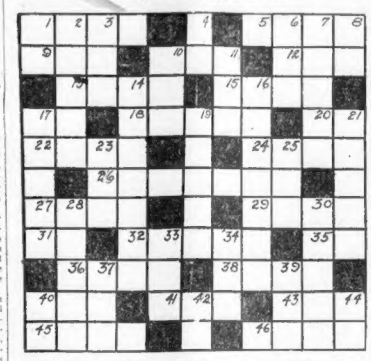
Grandson of United States Senator Ira Harris, one of Lincoln's staunchest supporters, and the son of parents who were Lincoln's guests and in his box when the assassin's bullet ended his career, Congressman Rathbone is called the best qualified man in the world to relate the circumstance.

On the night in Washington when Booth leaped into the Presidential box and shot Lincoln, the Congressman's father, Major Henry R. Rathbone, then affianced to Miss Harris, daughter of Senator Harris, attempted to shield the President and was badly wounded and rendered unconscious.

Congressman Rathbone is a Yale graduate and a graduate of the law department of the University of Wisconsin.

DAILY PRIZE X-WORD

—No. 3, Wednesday, Feb. 18—



HORIZONTAL

1—A singing part. 24—Spun fibre.
5—Something an- 26—Pays spuritedly.
nounced. 27—Origin.
9—Person. 28—Small island.
10—Scheduled to ar- 31—Measure of
rive. length (abbr.).
12—Auricle. 32—Fertile spot.
13—Wind storm 33—Man's nickname.
15—Ex-monarch of 36—Weird.
Russia. 37—Conjunction.
17—United America 40—Snake.
(abbr.). 41—Half sun.
18—Carry out in 43—Freeze.
action. 45—Insects.
20—Each (abbr.) 46—Mirth.
22—Metallic dross.

VERTICAL

1—Similar to. dignitaries of
2—Slant. France.
3—Light evening 21—Spiritual being.
meal. 23—In the past.
4—Tax (Latin). 25—Domestic animal.
6—Affirmatives. 28—Theatre of ac-
7—One who peels. tion (abbr.).
8—Suffix denoting 30—Long pointed
agent. weapon.
10—Liar. 33—Always.
11—And so forth 34—Possessive pro-
(abbr.). noun.
14—Creator. 37—Corrode.
16—Fashionable. 39—To be ill.
19—Illegal rate of 40—College degree.
interest. 42—Negative.
19—Celestial 44—Eye (Scot.).

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LONGWORTHS CHOSE NAME OF APOSTLE

Mother of New Baby Is Sorry Her Brother Is Always Compared to T. R.

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Paul the Apostle always has been a favorite character with Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, it was disclosed today, and so she decided to name her baby girl Paulina. Another reason for selection of the name is that it will provide no odious comparisons with latterday personages.

"Poor T. R. Jr.," Mrs. Longworth is said to have remarked, referring to the son of Theodore Roosevelt. "Every time he crosses the street someone has something to say because he doesn't do it as his father would—and if he navigates nicely then they say it was just as T. R. would have done it."

So the baby, her mother desires, shall grow up with a personality of her own.

Defence Rests in Jail Case

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 18.—The defense rested today in the trial of L. J. Fletcher, former deputy warden of the Atlanta Federal penitentiary; A. E. Sartain, former warden and Laurence Ekell.

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Borglum to Carve Huge Washington, Lincoln Statues

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Washington, Feb. 18.—The largest monument in the world will be carved out of one great block of solid granite in the Black Hills of South Dakota, it was revealed today by Gutzon Borglum, who is now sculpturing the "Glory of the Confederacy" on Stone Mountain in Georgia. He will begin the Black Hills memorial next Spring and expects to complete it in four years at a cost of $1,000,000 to $2,000,000.

It will consist of stupendous figures of Washington and Lincoln 400 feet in height—Washington as he was at Valley Forge, a great silent figure in campaign uniform and cocked hat; Lincoln, bareheaded, with his hand resting on Washington's shoulder.

"These two typify American history—Washington, the builder, and Lincoln, the saviour of the Union," said Borglum.

Suppress Kurds

Constantinople, Feb. 18 (I.N.S.)—The Government today ordered the military commander at Diarbeke to take energetic measures to repress the Kurd revolt, even to use airplane bomb attacks, should he think it necessary.

MOTHER CALLS ON TEACHER WITH KNIFE

Charges Girl Was Punished, So Drives Instructor Behind Locked Door

Springfield, Feb. 18.—Incensed over the alleged chastisement of her young daughter, Mrs. Marie Stabalo, thirty-one years old, of No. 114 Wilcox street, today armed herself with a butcher knife and made her way to the Pynchon school, to remonstrate with the child's teacher, Mrs. Mary Foley.

When Mrs. Stabalo reached the schoolroom she drew the knife and advanced upon Mrs. Foley. The teacher fled to another classroom, locked the door, and telephoned to the police station across the street. Police found the mother trying to force the door. She was arrested on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon.

Mrs. Stabalo said her daughter came home in tears, saying she had been struck with a piece of rubber hose.

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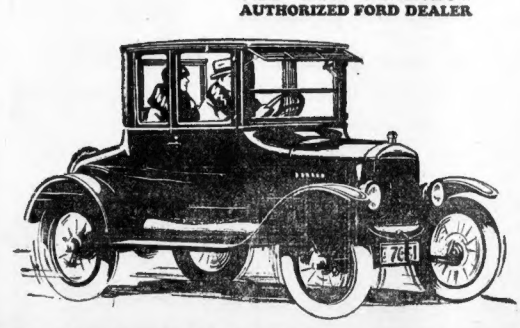

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You have until the close of business Friday before the bars on acceptance are put down, or the envelope containing today's solution must bear a postmark showing it was mailed before Thursday midnight.

A week hence the list of the winners will be posted. Why shouldn't you be among them?

No letter to accompany the solution. Neatness, legibility and accuracy are the only necessary points in this daily mental heat.

Keep going at them. And rake in a $5 bill a day.

ECONOMY GROCERY STORE EMPLOYES HOLD BALL

More than 400 employes of the Economy Grocery Stores Company and their guests were present in Convention Hall at the annual ball of the Economy Benefit Association.

An entertainment was held, including songs by Walter Bradley of Dorchester; dances by the Dwyer sisters and character sketches by Jack Griffin. Refreshments were served.

Sidney Rabinovitz, sales manager of the company, was in charge of the ball. Other members of the committee included Charles W. Day, Lawrence J. McPherson, Charles E. Johnson, Miss Bettie Hurwitz, Larry Cohen, president of the Economy Benefit Association, and J. D. Smith, vice president.

WOMAN KNOCKED DOWN AND HAS ARM BROKEN

Miss Charlotte S. Daniels, fifty-five years old, of No. 1351 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, while waiting to board an inward bound "L" car on Commonwealth avenue, was knocked down and received a fracture of the right arm when a man tried to force his way on the car.

MOTHER!

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Headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "logy" and "heavy." They "clear" clouded brain and "perk up" the spirits. 15c and 30c.

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Even the run-down and skinny grown-ups, who ought to take cod liver oil, because it really is the greatest vitamine food and builder of healthy flesh in the world, will feel extremely joyful when they read this welcome news.

Of course, doctors have been prescribing cod liver oil in tablets under another name for several years, but it is only of late that one can walk into a drug store and get a box of these flesh-producing tablets just as easy as a bottle of cough syrup.

Thin, run-down, anaemic men, women and children who need to grow strong and take on flesh are advised to get a box of McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets, and if you don't gain 5 pounds in 30 days just get your money back.

One woman gained fifteen pounds in five weeks, according to her own doctor—another ten pounds in three weeks. A very sickly child, aged nine, twelve pounds in seven months, and now plays with other children and has a good appetite.

Just ask for McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets. Any good druggist will tell you that they are wonderful flesh and health builders. Only 60 cents for 60 tablets, and don't forget that they are wonder workers for feeble old folks.

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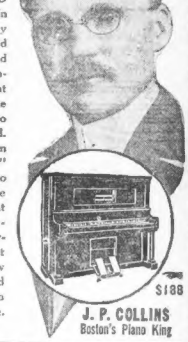
THANKS

To All Who Have Written to Me About Irish Aid

I received letters from all over New England



It is gratifying to find that the old spirit is still alive. I have heard from a great many people who read my "IS IRELAND SUFFERING" article in last week's papers. Every man, woman and child who wrote to me thanked me for publishing the appeal and all hoped that something would be done in an organized way to send aid where needed. I would like to hear from some of the "old-time" leaders and others who are in possession of the facts about the present living conditions in Ireland—men who have organized Funds in the past and who understand how to operate quickly and efficiently. Let us do something worth while.

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POLICE HEADS AT M'DONALD FUNERAL

Services in Charlestown for Sergeant Well Known in Department

Police Superintendent Michael H. Crowley and two score police officials today attended the funeral services of Sergeant John D. McDonald of the East Dedham police station. McDonald died at his home, No. 24 Auburn street, Charlestown. The services were held today in St. Francis de Sales Church, Charlestown. The Rev. Fr. Charles B. Gaffney, curate at the church, was celebrant of a high mass of requiem.

Six sergeants, all of whom served with Sergeant McDonald, were pall bearers. They were Thomas W. O'Donnell, John T. Corcoran, Michael J. Trainor James W. Lewis and Cornelius Brennan.

CHILD SKATERS TO FEATURE EXHIBITION

Many Events Scheduled for Ellis Memorial Carnival February 26

Child skaters will feature the Ellis Memorial Skating Carnival at the Boston Arena on February 26.

In addition to Mrs. Theresa Blanchard and Nathaniel Niles, Olympic champions, there will be special features by other prominent skaters.

The junior skaters, whose work has attracted much attention this year, have prepared attractive specialties and boys and girls will exhibit beautiful costumes.

One of cleverest of the juniors is Maribel Vinson of Winchester who won last year's junior prize. This dainty maiden will be seen in a special number.

THEY'LL CUT SOME ICE AT ARENA

Left to right, George Hill, Katherine Cliff, Virginia Badger, Nat Niles, Jr., Grace Madden and Lester Madden, who will appear at the Ellis Memorial Skating Carnival at Boston Arena, February 26.

February 18/25

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GAS ENGINEERS ELECT BOSTON MAN AS HEAD

Providence, Feb. 18.—H. J. Henney of Boston was elected president of the New England Association of Gas Engineers, at the 55th annual convention here today. Other officers elected were: Vice-presidents, F. C. Freeman o fProvidence and A. J. Smith of Concord, N. H.; secretary-treasurer, J. L. Sudbury of Salem; directors, G. W. Stiles of Portland, A. H. Scott of New Britain, F. E. Drake of Lynn, H. Vittenngoff of Boston and L. T. Hadock of Cambridge.

Robert M. Seale, president of the Rochester, N. Y., Gas Company prophesied that by 1940 there will be more gas used than electricity, basing his claim on the increasing demand for "house heating."

WORCESTER MEN LOSE BY ROCHESTER, N. Y., FIRE

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Fire that for a time threatened several buildings in the shopping district in Main street, between Front and Water streets, today did approximately $80,000 damage before it was checked. The damaged buildings were owned by W. E. Marcus and Taylor Brothers of Worcester, Mass.

HERRIOT THANKS U. S. FOR AIDING TO UPHOLD FRANC

Paris, Feb. 18.—"We thank our American and British friends for their conference in French finance and their aid in combatting assaults against the franc," Premier Herriot told the Chamber of Deputies today.

GINTER EMPLOYES HOLD 16TH ANNUAL DANCE

The 16th annual reception and ball of the Ginter Employes' Benevolent Association took place in the ballroom of the Hotel Somerset, with 1000 members and guests present. In the receiving line were Thomas Cox, president of the association; J. C. Duane, treasurer of the company, and Mrs. Duane; J. J. Curry, vice president of the company, and Mrs. Curry; Richard Emery, assistant buyer; George B. Tobey, head buyer of the company; Walter Sharp and Lewis Glazier, and the officers of the association.

Following the reception, dancing was held. Souvenirs were distributed among the dancers. Louis L. Glazier was floor director, and he was assisted by R. S. Emery and W. B. Smith, Jr. The committee in charge included George Tobey, . E. Elwell, John Powell, J. V. Sivertson, William Burkhart, E. Keefe, J. E. Galligan, N. E. Whittemore, James Duane, Martin Sherry, Walter Sharp, Maurice Bartholomew, W. H. Wright, A. Cooke, Harry Rogers, A. M. DeWolfe, J. F. Guthrie, C. A. McDonough, D. H. Sullivan, C. Burns, L. P. Vallett and T. Murray.

On the reception committee were the Misses Kathryn Clarke, Helen Garvey, Lauretta McDermott, Theresa Murray, Margaret Donovan, J. McPherson, G. Brawders, H. Pratt, W. J. Healey, Emaline Perrin, K. Lord and Anna Canavan.

STOKES READY WITH CASH ON HELEN CLEWS

Letter Read at His Trial on Charge of Plot to Defame His Wife

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Benjamin Harrison, negro bathhouse attendant, testified today in the trial of W. E. D. Stokes, charged with conspiracy to defame his wife, Helen Ellwood Stokes, that Stokes offered him $2,000 for investigations relating to a woman named Helen.

Harrison said Stokes told him it would be difficult to trace the woman, as she had been known as Helen Ellwood, Helen Underwood and other names. Harrison said that at Stokes' direction he went to Denver; that he also consulted marriage records in Chicago to learn if a woman bearing one of the names had, as Stokes suggested, married Al Austin, a "saloon man."

The State road into the record a letter under a 1920 date identified by Harrison as a letter from Stokes bidding him to make inquiry at a house in Chicago and whether any of the occupants were named Helen Underwood, Mrs. Sargent, Billig or Miller."

Gal Billig was named by Stokes as a co-respondent in his divorce suit in New York. Miller is the name of Mrs. Stokes' stepfather.

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FINED $200 FOR HAVING WHISKEY AT HOTEL

Alexander Sheinohn of No. 9 Allen street, West End, averred he was on business bent when he cached twelve bottles of "Old Mull" in a room of the Copley Plaza. But Managing Director Arthur Race told Police Inspector John McCarthy it didn't look right to him, for Alexander's suitcase was terribly heavy. The inspector discovered the whiskey and told Alexander his business was in court, where he was fined $200 today.

DARWIN THEORY MEASURE CAUSES ADJOURNMENT

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 18.—Public agitation over a bill to prohibit teaching of the Darwinian theory of man's evolution in State-supported schools attracted such a throng to the House of Representatives that a near stampede developed and the body adjourned its discussion of the bill until today.

There was talk of calling the police to cope with a situation which quickly got beyond the sergeant-at-arms, but it was decided to adjourn instead.

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BOSTON, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1925

SECOND SECTION

WIFE FEARS MISSING HUSBAND SLAIN

Mrs. Ernest D'Costo and her baby son, Ernest, Jr., of East Boston. She fears her husband, now missing, has been murdered. Police are seeking a former sweetheart of the young wife. Friends say this ex-suitor had threatened to kill her husband.

Special Officers James J. Driscoll and John Dunleavy of East Boston police station are searching today for a man, whose name they refuse to divulge, but whom they believe may be responsible for the disappearance of Ernest D'Costa, World War veterans, and resident of East Boston.

D'Costa has been missing since last Wednesday night. He was last seen on a Boston Elevated train at Maverick square by James orman, secretary of Pitton Council, K. of C.

The missing man left his home shortly before midnight to report to the milk barn of the H. P. Hood Company in Charlestown, where he had just been employed as a route man.

The first information Mrs. D'Costa had of his disappearance came when the Hood people called early Thursday morning, inquiring as to her husband's whereabouts.

The man sought by the police is a former suitor for Mrs. D'Costa's hand. Family friends say this man threatened to kill D'Costa at the time of his marriage, but that soon afterward he left Boston.

He returned recently, it is said, and took up his residence in East Boston. Police say he visited Mrs. D'Costa last Sunday and remarked that if her husband did not return he still was willing to marry her.

Mrs. D'Costa is in a state of collapse. She is living with her three children, ranging in ages from three months to five years, with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank White of No. 229 Marion street.

COUNT KAROLYI MUZZLED BY U. S.

Has $50,000, Jailed for Refusing to Aid Mother, 91

KAROLYI MUZZLED BY U. S.

Pledge Not to Discuss Hungarian Politics Here Voluntary, Officials Declare

The right of free speech, guaranteed to American citizens under the Constitution, has been denied a distinguished visitor, Count Michael Karolyi, former President of Hungary, according to dispatches from New York today.

In consequence the Count, whose beautiful wife was a visitor to Boston last December, is unable to defend himself against attacks said to have been inspired by the government of Admiral Horthy in his native land.

When Countess Karolyi, whose illness from typhoid fever brought her husband to her side, arrived in this country, her admission was bitterly opposed by S. Stanwood Menken, formerly head of the National Security League, on the ground she was "a Red Catherine of Bolshevism."

SPOKE IN BOSTON.

His charges were disproved by government investigation and the Countess started on a lecture tour, which was to have ended in March. At that time she expected to return to London, where her husband and three children awaited her.

Shortly after her appearance in Boston, where she spoke at Ford Hal, the Countess was stricken with typhoid fever, and also underwent a major operation.

Count Karolyi hurried to her bed side, but, according to the New York report, American State Department officials in London would not vise his passports until he pledged himself not to write or speak for publication on any political matters during his stay.

The restrictions were said to have been imposed at the instance of Count Laszlo Szechenyi, husband of the former Gladys Vanderbilt, and now Hungarian Minister to Washington.

CALLED "CONSPIRATOR."

Officials in Washington were quoted as saying Count Karolyi volunteered the pledge, but that they expected him to conduct himself accordingly while here.

The Count's friends declared there is no precedent for such action and stated that while the former head of the Hungarian republic is muzzled, he is being attacked by Hungarian papers in this country, by Stanwood Menken and others.

Karolyi is termed in the Hungarian press attacks a Bolshevist and a danger to this government, a traitor to his own country and a conspirator to turn his country over to Bela Kun, a Communist.

Arrested as Slayer

New York, Feb. 18.—Vincenzo Cello, thirty-three years old, of Mount Vernon, was arrested charged with the murder of James Ricardo, a prosperous truck farmer of Mount Vernon, whose body was found in a deserted house on his Bronx farm.

MATINEE IDOL BREAKS MORE HEARTS

From left to right, Pola Negri, Lou Tellegen and Alla Nazimova. For a time it was rumored that Lou might wed Pola. Anyway, Tellegen picked another lady to be Mrs. Tellegen No. 3.

MRS. TELLEGEN NO. 3 ALSO AN ACTRESS

Los Angeles, Feb. 18 (I.N.S.).—The "mystery bride" of Lou Tellegen, famous stage and screen star, former husband of Geraldine Farrar, was revealed to International News Service as Isabel Craven Dilworth, twenty-two, daughter of a multi-millionaire glass manufacturer of Philadelphia.

Miss Dilworth, after graduating from Ward-Belmont, exclusive Nashville, Tenn., school attended a dramatic school in New York and later was accepted for a role by Tellegen in the stage version of "Don Juan."

A bond of affection, born of the throbbing love story of "Don Juan" brought the romance of Tellegen and the young actress which ended in their midnight marriage in New Jersey.

Mrs. Tellegen is a niece of Charles Dilworth, internationally noted art collector of Chicago and has a sister attending Bryn Mawr.

Mrs. Tellegen is a niece of James Bell, Minneapolis flour king, granddaughter of Governor Dale of Virginia and a cousin of the Earl of Craven in England.

Tellegen was married in Rutherford, N. J., December 17, 1923, the day following Geraldine Farrar's divorce.

And so the news has leaked that Lou Tellegen, once the "perfect lover" of "Jerry" Farrar, who divorced him because he courted too many other women, has signed another matrimonial contract.

Tellegen and Bride Reported "Missing"

Hollywood, Cal., Feb. 18.—Historians of Hollywood's romances today were waiting for Lou Tellegen, actor of the stage and screen, to come forward and give his own version of his marriage to Isabel Craven Dilworth.

One report had it that the actor and his wife were in San Francisco. Efforts to find them there failed. It was agreed by their friends here that now the marriage secret was out, they would soon cease to be missing.

PILGRIM SHIP IS NEARING AZORES

On Board the Steamship Ohio (By Radio), Feb. 18.—Bowling merrily along at better than twelve knots an hour, the steamship Ohio, carrying 500 Boston pilgrims bound for Rome, under the leadership of Cardinal O'Connell, today is about 950 miles southeast of Cape Cod.

The dull foggy weather which had followed the ship since its departure from Boston Sunday night, gave way early today to bright sunshine. The weather is balmy and the ship steams through a sea of azure, roofed over by a bright blue sky such as is never seen along the New England coast.

The Rt. Rev. Mgr. Joseph McGlinchey was to deliver the first of a series of lectures on the ports at which the pilgrim ship will call. Monsigner McGlinchey was to speak today on "Funchal" in the Azores, which will be the steamship's first stopping place.

The general health of the pilgrim party is good. The bright weather today brought virtually everyone on deck.

Egg Shells Used to Trim New Spring Hats

London, Feb. 18.—Modistes have found use for ordinary egg shells. They make effective trimmings for the new Spring hats. The shells are broken into various shapes and are stuck on the crown in designs and sometimes in colors.

Egg shell hats are expected to be very popular at Easter time.

SON, FINED, PREFERS PRISON

Attleboro Business Man, Failing to Pay, Is Sent to the House of Correction

New Bedford, Feb. 18.—Because he refused to contribute to the support of his ninety-one-year-old mother, George Hemsey, a wealthy Attleboro business man, was today serving a term in the New Bedford House of Correction.

When found guilty of failing to provide for his mother, now in the City Home at Attleboro, Hemsey was fined $200, which was to have been paid to the city of Attleboro for the woman's support. Hemsey refused to pay the fine and was committed to the house of correction.

Hemsey and his wife are owners of property in Attleboro and Pawtucket valued at nearly $50,000.

He has repeatedly refused to contribute to his mother's support.

GERMAN DISARMAMENT NOT COMPLETE, IS HINT

Paris, Feb. 18 (A.P.).—The report of the Allied Military Control Mission, fifty pages long, on the state of Germany's disarmament, accompanied by twelve lengthy annexes, was delivered at the offices of the Allied War Committee, presided over by Marshal Foch, this morning. Copies of the documents were immediately forwarded to the allied governments.

The most important of the twelve annexes are those relating to military training and the number of men in Germany being fitted for armed service contrary to the Treaty of Versailles, and to German armaments. A mass of new detail is given in the report which in the judgment of those who are aware of its contents will prove abundantly the allied case against Germany.

WANT ADS

MORE WANT ADS ON PAGE 19

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5—America
12—Little Ben
40 Other Makes

$15

Thursday at 9 A. M.—Fifth Floor—Hovey's

SAY BO—YA GOT A CIGARETTE?

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

SURE—DO YOU WANT TO SEE IT?

YUSKO IS FAVORITE FOR FINISH MAT BOUT WITH LABRIOLA

GRAPPLERS FIT FOR TUSSLE

Frank Yusko, New England heavyweight champion, will start a favorite in his finish match with Leone Labriola, the Lion of Italy, at the Grand Opera House on Thursday night.

Fans who have wanted to know just how good the big Italian can wrestle will get the answer Thursday night. Labriola is large, strong, has youth in his favor and from week to week shows a decided improvement in his knowledge of the game. Still, it is a long shot if he can beat Yusko right now. Italian fans have a lot of respect for his ability, but the most of them figure he has been matched too fast in this particular case.

It will be a case where gameness will be the deciding factor in a victory.

Yusko is one of the few wrestlers who has met them as they have come since he came into the limelight. He realizes that Labriola is a tough wrestler, but he has shown a desire to please the fans ever since he started wrestling at the Grand and, realizing that what they want to real matches, he is willing to accommodate at all times by doing his best. His followers are planning a big ovation for him preceding the match and will turn out in numbers to give him their support.

The winner of this match pitted against the winner of a three-cornered match between Stasiak, Malcewicz and Taramaschi would clear the local wrestling championship.

In the semi-final bout, Ole Jacobson, who is the champion of Norway, will wrestle one fall of a finish with Lawson Pinkham of Attleboro. Pinkham will have weight in his favor but Norwood fans think Jacobson is one of the best and will back him to win.

In the opening bout Frank Dutcher will meet a new comer on the Grand Opera House mat in the person of Mike Telegon, the Ukranian light heavyweight.

Leon Burbanks will referee all the bouts.

BROWN IN BROCKTON FOR FRUZZETTI BOUT

Harry "Kid" Brown, the crack Philadelphia lightweight, arrived in Brockton today for a bout with Jimmy Fruzzetti, the fast Brockton boy, which will be the feature event at Music Hall, Brockton, Friday night. This team will travel over the 10 round route.

The Quaker is already in excellent condition but he will work out this afternoon and tomorrow at the Brockton Y. M. H. A. gymnasium so that the Shoe City fans will get a line on him.

Jimmy Smith of Brockton and Jimmy Barry of Dorchester, a former Brockton lad, will clash in the semi-final of eight rounds, Harold Ellershaw of Brockton and Paddy McClosky and Manuel Canto and Eddie Nelley will clash in the six round preliminaries.

Bouts Last Night

At Manchester, N. H.—Corporal Izzy Schwartz, Newport, outpointed Young Murray, ten rounds.

At Kansas City, Mo.—Harry Grob, Pittsburg, defeated Billy Button, Kansas.

At Washington—Martin Burke, New Orleans, was awarded newspaper verdict over Sully Montgomery, Boston.

At Albany—Stanislaus Loayza, Chile, defeated Eddie Paulino, New York, 10 rounds. Jimmy Brien, Utica, lost to Young Maxwell, Troy, 10 rounds.

At Syracuse—Results in three-day amateur, 126-pound class, George Gogay (Lafayette), defeated Murray Israel, New York; Tommy Lown, New York, defeated William Lunz, Pittsburgh, 115 pounds class; Hugh Haggerty, Pittsburgh, defeated Joe Littman, New York; Pat O'Connor, Syracuse, defeated Edward Tiernan, New York.

At New Orleans—Results Atlantic Coast Naval championships governed by U. S. Fleet Athletic rules. Each contestant scheduled for 6 rounds, between men of Newport and Submarine base.

Flyweight—Forfeited to Snyder (N.). Middleweight—Coolidge (S.) won over Hoag Hastings (S.), 2 rounds.

Bantamweight—Tasso (S.), won from Parcell (S.), 6 rounds.

Featherweight—Lopez (S.), won over Grossman (N.), 6 rounds. Lightweight—Kubler (N.) won over Wilson (S.), 6 rounds. Welterweight—Baldwin (S.) won over Fahey (N.), 6 rounds. Light heavyweight—Hastings (S.) won from Coolidge (S.), 1 round knock out. Heavyweight—Hall (S.) won from Robbins (S.), K. O., 6 rounds.

Basketball Results

Boston Whirlwinds 30, Chelsea K. C. 27.
Yale 38, Rhode Island State 15.
Haverhill Free 33 Worcester Collegians 20.
Dartmouth Freshmen 48, Tufts 18.
Chelsea High 20, Natick High 12.
Watertown High 34, Wakefield High 18.
Brockton High 32, Winchester High 10.
Quincy High 40, Rindge Tech 18.
Weymouth High 38, Northeastern Freshmen 10.
Milton Acad. 32, Milton High 10.
Dorchester High 34, Belmont High 5.
Arlington High Girls 39, Wellesley High Girls 6.
Melrose High Girls 28, Watertown High Girls 20.
Winthrop High 28, Framingham High 2.
Franklin High 37, Hyde Park High 18.
St. Mary's 50, Rockland A. A. 28.
Dedham A. A. 28 Chelsea City Club 23.
Hamilton A. L. 39 B. C. Eagles 15.
Weymouth Owls 37, Wellesley T. C. 24.
Needham High 32, Walpole 18.
Stanchion T. C. 32, Cunningham Gym 24.
N. Attleboro H. S. 38, Stoughton H. S. 17.
Boston City Five 50, Waltham Town 34.
Lynn H. Y. Girls 21, Boston C. C. Girls 8.
St. Joseph's Cadets 37, Roxbury Comets 27.
Peabody Independents 39, Salem Town 32.
Salem Normal 24, Mass. Normal Arts 16.
Liberty A. C. 60, Newton Falls 16.

Outdoor Sports -:- -:- -:- -:- By Tad

YES—I'M STILL CLEANIN' SIDE WALKS AN' TENDIN' FURNACES—I HEAR THAT TOM OPENED A FISH STORE AND IS DOIN' FINE
YES HE IS—I HEAR THAT HE SOLD SIX QUARTS THE FIRST DAY
YES—I HAD A SNIFTER OR TWO OF IT AND I WANNA SAY THAT HE OUGHTA GIVE AWAY A TIN CUP AND SOME LEAD PENCILS WITH EACH QUART OF IT
IF YOU DRINK THE STUFF THAT JIM SELLS YOU'LL LAND IN A MARBLE ORCHARD WITH THE ROOTS OF THE WEEPING WILLOW GROWING IN YOUR FACE
OUTDOOR SPORTS
TALKING ABOUT ONE OF THE GANG WHO ONLY RECENTLY OPENED A BLIND PIG—
TAD
ST LOUIS MO. 2-18

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PRO HOCKEY SCANDAL CHARGED

Professional hockey is having its taste of scandal. The charges are that the Hamilton Tigers, who played the Bruins here last night, laid down to the St. Pats at Toronto last Saturday night and all Canada is agog over the affair.

The pro ice game has been remarkably free from suspicion, in the conduct of its games, while some of the amateur leagues in Canada have been in serious charges in past seasons and the Canadian fans are fervidly following the present case.

Percy Thompson, head of the Tigers is enraged over the charges, he intimates he might collect something more than that which goes with the National Hockey League play-off and the profits from the Stanley cup competition, if his team qualifies.

The charge that the Hamilton-St. Pats game was not on the level, was made in Montreal.

There close to the pro hockey game believes that it is a case of sour grapes. The fact that the St. Pats are pressing the Canadiens with the possibility of shutting out Montreal from the N. H. L. play-off is given as one reason for the charges. Should the St. Pats overhaul the Canadiens, the play-off would be a Hamilton-Toronto affair.

Thompson has placed the matter in the hands of his attorney with a view to collecting damages if he can trace the source of the report.

Thompson branded as "false and foolish" the story which was in La Canada, French-Canadian newspaper, that the Tigers gave St. Pats the game in order to keep the Canadiens out of the play-off for the league championship.

"You can tell the world at large that our boys tried as hard as they could," said Mr. Thompson. "We don't care who plays us in the final play-off, provided we get into it ourselves.

"Just now we are out making sure of our place at the top of the league. If we were going to throw any games we certainly wouldn't undertake such a course just when we need most to win.

"But, regardless of the fact that we want to finish at the top of the league and are doing our absolute best just now, the Hamilton team will never be rightfully accused of not trying."

'FIGHTING SCOTCHMAN' IN DILBOY BOUTS

On account of the approach of the New England championships, the amateurs are showing a real activity to get going, and the Boxing Tournament of Dilboy Post, V. F. W., is in receipt of a large entry list for its show, to be held in K. of C. Hall, Somerville, Thursday evening.

There will be competition in the following classes, 118, 126, 147 and 160 pounds. The outstanding entry in the 126 pound class is that of Tommy Morrision, of Somerville, who is known as the fighting Scotchman. This boy has made rapid strides in the boxing game, and at the recent International Tournament, he captured the 126-pound class.

Selections--Mounts--Prices

CONSENSUS OF OPINION OF LEADING HANDICAPPERS AT MIAMI

BEST—Chief Spencer.

1—Chief Spencer	32 points
Mary Johnston	12 points
Remnant	6 points
Captain Costigan	39 points
Naughty Nieta	20 points
Old Feller	15 points
2—Dr. MacMillan	15 points
Dr. Shanghai	14 points
Golden Age	14 points
3—Astrid	29 points
Grace R.	30 points
Alabaster	8 points
Miss Lag	32 points
Scrubby	20 points
Ball God	16 points
Ruth R.	26 points
Frank Monroe	18 points
Magician	8 points
4—Bonado	18 points
Ruben Rouge	18 points
Brussell	14 points

ELEVENTH HOUR SPECIALS.

Wuhu, New Orleans; Mary Johnston, Miami. Phone Specials—Dust Flower, New Orleans.

At Miami

FIRST RACE.

Post	Horse	Jockey	Probable Odds
5	Mary Johnston, D. Fisher		3-1
2	Remnant, W. Garrison		6-1
10	Star Girl, J. Dolin		6-1
1	Sandra, H. Fisher		8-1
6	Lieut. Farrell, F. Horn		10-1
7	Frank Bompter		15-1
3	Miss Lag, E. Ambrose		15-1
4	Mahala, H. Gray		15-1
9	Sandy, M. Sparks		15-1
8	Jake Jr., J. Dolin		20-1
11	Indian Grass, J. Jones		30-1

SECOND RACE.

8—Naughty Nieta, G. Walls	6-1
7—Captain Costigan, F. Woodstock	3-1
5—Fairbrush, M. Stutts	3-1
4—Old Feller	8-1
10—Rip Tin Tin, F. Stevens	10-1
1—Nature, G. Winn	10-1
6—Alicia Verner M. Leibgold	6-1
9—Carrier, J. Mahon	20-1
3—Uncle Jay, R. Holloway	10-1
2—Preplexed, Lust, K. Noe	20-1

THIRD RACE.

1—Shanghai, C. Kutzinger	2-1
7—Golden Age, D. Fisher	3-1
9—Dr. MacMillan, J. Dolin	4-1
8—Confluente, F. Beach	3-1
5—Miss Washington, D. Sipes	8-1

FOURTH RACE.

6—Astrid, M. Garrison	2-1
8—Grace R. F. Ambrose	5-1
5—Scrubby, J. Dolin	5-1
1—Lemsee, G. Walls	5-1
7—Lafonda, E. Horn	6-1
9—Real Gold, J. Callahan	10-1
3—Ball God, J. Jones	8-1
2—Go Through, F. Sipes	8-1

FIFTH RACE.

10—Jacques, F. Beach	2-1
5—Brice, J. Callahan	6-1
4—Lucky Leg, F. Beach	3-1
6—Sweetie, F. Weiner	3-1
1—Ruth R. M. Garrison	4-1
8—Walt Gee, F. Stevens	6-1
7—Sandra, H. Fisher	6-1
9—Wuhu, J. Dolin	10-1
3—Nettie May, F. Giancolieri	10-1
2—Very Dear, J. Dolin	10-1
11—Vesta, A. Peterson	10-1
12—Miss Kentucky, D. Noel	10-1
13—Wrenn	20-1

SIXTH RACE.

8—Wanda, E. Smith	3-1
5—Ruben Rouge, C. Mathes	3-1
7—Tabby, F. Beach	5-1
2—Sweetie Mavis, D. Harvey	6-1
1—Wantout, K. Noe	6-1
6—Marksver, E. Horn	8-1

At New Orleans

FIRST RACE.

Post	Horse	Jockey	Prob. Odds
8	Seven Cloud, D. Russell		6-1
5	Wanda, E. Smith		6-1
6	Son of Trump, E. Peel		6-1
4	Tabby, F. Beach		6-1
3	Brown Mavis, D. Harvey		6-1
1	Mary E., E. Bonner		6-1
2	Lieutenant Rose C. Long		6-1
7	Long Tree, J. Dolin		10-1
9	Silent Lillian, D. Meagan		10-1
10	Wuhu, J. Dolin		10-1
11	Little Pal, W. Frash		15-1

SECOND RACE.

8—Yvlefluf, D. McAuliffe	5-1
5—Wanda, E. Smith	4-1
10—Saletta, G. Long	6-1
12—Yolanda, D. Fisher	6-1
15—Mr. Destiny, W. Tiner	6-1
14—Sweetness, D. McAuliffe	6-1
1—Ivory W. Long	10-1
13—Dan Sweeney, J. Mercier	10-1
11—Red Sculford, J. Lee	15-1
2—Sweetness, Contentment	15-1

THIRD RACE.

8—Dust Flower, D. McAuliffe	8-5
7—The Rust, R. Kelso	3-1
5—Ruth R. M. Garrison	4-1
6—Leatherwood, C. Allen	6-1
4—Sandra, H. Fisher	6-1
1—Wrinkley, V. Moore	10-1
2—Buck, M. Meyers	10-1

FOURTH RACE.

1—Chiltern, J. D. Mosney	4-5
5—Roser, D. Horn	3-1
6—Hector, L. Long	4-1
3—Nassau (doubtful)	6-1
2—Doubtful, R. Thomas	6-1

FIFTH RACE.

8—Yulnat, R. Kelso	3-1
12—Torich, E. Herbert	6-1
13—Buck, E. Peel	6-1
5—Mr. Marina, A. Lecoste	8-1
6—Grass Tree, D. McAuliffe	6-1
7—Pyramus, A. Vuillemot	15-1
11—Judge Breiser	15-1
1—Rialto, J.	20-1

SIXTH RACE.

8—Wuhu, D. McAuliffe	5-1
6—Sweetness, V. Moore	6-1
5—Saletta, Ivory Burdell	6-1
9—Sincere, L. Long	8-1
4—Lucky Leg, F. Jones	8-1
3—Contentment, H. Thomas	8-1
1—Bonnie, F. Sipes	10-1
2—Headline, Lee	20-1

SEVENTH RACE.

1—Dr. McMahon, Lee	8-5
2—Dr. Shanghai, Lee	3-1
3—Grey Trooper, M. Lacota	4-1
4—Al Levy, Lang	6-1
5—Pyramidonal Belle, H. Tiner	6-1
7—Jubal Early, E. Rosbon	6-1
8—Hidden Money, G. Herbert	10-1

Selections

COLLYER'S DAILY
MOST PROBABLE WINNER—Leatherwood.

FIRST RACE—A CHANCE—Brice.
PARLAY—Brice, Dr. Shanghai and Mollvina, Blake.

AT NEW ORLEANS

BEST—Lieutenant Rose C. Long.
2—Transformer, Son of Trump, Mera Mayne.
3—Saletta, Frightful, My Destiny.
4—Sweetness, The Rust, Moon Flue.
5—Nelman entry, Dustabout, Chilkowee.
6—Mary Johnston, Red Bird, Ruth R.
7—Sweetness, Contentment, Wuhu.
8—Wuhu, Dust Flower, Trotter, Al Levy.

AT MIAMI

BEST—Brice.
1—Mistress, Chief Spencer, Julie.
2—Dr. Shanghai, Dixie's Darling, Saigon.
3—Dr. MacMillan, Shawshal Golden Age.
4—Shawshal, Naughty Nieta, Astrid.
5—Brice, Ruth astr, Broomster.
6—Astrid, Grace R., Frank Monroe.
7—Shawshal entry, Ruben Rouge, Bonado.

ONE-HORSE SPECIAL—St. Martine.

NEW ORLEANS—Best—The Rust, third; Wuhu, Warfare, seventh.

MIAMI—Best, Astrid, fourth; outstanding, Captain Costigan.

HAVANA SPECIALS—Dannie, first; Sandra, fourth.

TIA JUANA SPECIALS—Mt. Shasta, third; Jane Grace, sixth.

PARLAY—The Rust and Astrid, straight.

TIA JUANA DOCTORS REVIEW.

BIG FREE CODE—Ruben Rouge, seventh, Miami.

FREE CODES—Astrid, fourth, Miami; Wuhu, second, New Orleans.

WEEKLY FLASH.

STAR PLAYER FREE CODE—Captain Costigan, second, Miami.

FREE CODES—Mary Johnston, first, Miami; Green Trotter, seventh, New Orleans.

GRAPHIC WEEKLY.

FREE CODES—Broomstar, fifth, Miami; Astrid, fourth, Miami.

JARR—DUNN.

Astrid, fourth, Miami.

Havana Entries

FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; mile and 70 yards. Norwood 122, Swim 107, Dannie 107, Nattie Boy 107, Warfare 107, Sandra 107.

SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; 6½ furlongs. Rapple Blossom 109, Kalmon 102, Wilson 107, Ruth R. 107, Sandra 107, Nattie Boy 107, Broomstar 107, Warfare 107, Kate Bloom 118, Shadowed 107, Sunset 107.

THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; mile and 70 yards. Dale 114, Jerome 114, Star Court 114, Pudge 109, Ruth R. 109, Frank Reiss 109, Dancing Mac 99, Col. Pat 116, Sancho Panza 112, Cassie 109, Dusty Dusting 109, Solomon 112.

FOURTH RACE—Three-year-olds, claiming; purse $800, six furlongs. Rapple Blossom 109, Sandra 107, Smudge 99, Scratch 107, Rockne 112.

FIFTH RACE—4-year-olds and up, claiming; purse $800, mile and 70 yards. Dr. Shanghai 108, Dustman 108, Forewood Boy 108, Allegory 108, Sandra 108, Nattie Boy 108, Silent Brier 108, Bender Wolfe 108, Midnight Sister 108, Cassie 103, Pudge 112, Rush Boy 108, Lady Lida, Black Top 112, Allegory 108, Frank Peters 104, Silencio 108, Sunset Moments 108.

SIXTH RACE—Four-year-olds and up, claiming; purse $800, mile and one-sixteenth (6); Annie Lois 108, Kilpoo Sahib 109, Spencer 110, Broomstar 108, Cassman 112, Rapp 107.

WILLS FORCING SHOWDOWN IN 'HEAVY' MIXUP

New York, Feb. 18.—There is every reason to believe that within the next few days the New York State Athletic Commission will seek a showdown in the heavyweight boxing situation.

For the second time Harry Wills, negro heavyweight, has been pursuing the champion, Jack Dempsey, for years, has deposited a check for $2,500 with the commission to bind his challenge.

The first time the matter was left high in the air, but within the past year the boxing body has changed its tactics, having named one champion and arranged a tournament from which will come a challenger.

At a recent meeting Chairman George Brower informed Wills' manager, Paddy Mullins, that in his opinion the challenge should fight among themselves until a true contender for the championship developed. Mullins, however, did not make known his opinion at that time.

From what happened at the meeting of the commission yesterday it would seem that the negro's business agent has adopted the view of Chairman Brower.

B. U. HOCKEYISTS AFTER THIRD GAME WITH B. C.

Boston University's ice hockey team is to play a rubber game with Boston College at the Arena sometime before the season closes. The Terriers feel they are entitled to another shot at the Eagles net and have requested Manager George Brown to arrange a third game. As it is both teams have won a game apiece.

Tia Juana Entries

FIRST RACE—$700, two-year-olds, five furlongs (R); Kilborn 110, Sweetness 108, Misses 111, Giants Gazella 111, Chinee 116, Dixie's Darling 116, Queen Ann 108, Admonish 110, Silver State 122, aInternational Flyer 107, Lucky Star 107, Chas. Wing 107, entry.

SECOND RACE—$800, three-year-olds and upward, claiming, four and one-half furlongs (R); Tony 106, Vernon Boy 106, Francis Meyers 109, Pontram 110, Cousin 110, Al Dr. Rio Jack Vergne 114, Sing Song Bell 112, Tremont 110, Reeves Pry 110, Harris Jr. 110, Time Three 112, Ethel Mae 107, Miss Riffle 112, Twin Fox 111, Bessie Mae 104, Moon Flue 118, Ed Mayo 112, entry.

THIRD RACE—Five furlongs, $600, three-year-olds, claiming (R); Lady Ilene Rue 98, aMount Shasta 97, aLady Small 90, Much Worse 99, aRitie Randall 98, aNorfords Last 101, Curtis Moore 106, aSergeant Madison 98, Jack Ryan 106, aPink Tracy 105, Smiling 110, Mrs. Pat 110, Unnamed 112, Gossamer 112, Pilgrim King 107, aShamer 105, aLetter F 97.

FOURTH RACE—$600, claiming, four-year-olds, mile and a sixteenth (15); aAlbert Ross 102, aMarita 102, Arbor Rose 108, aDumbfounder 104, aTam Crowe, 104, Grey Lad 104, aGrace Ann 104, Ruth Ann 104, aSpry 104, Tan Can 110, Finder 108, Beau Belle 108, Much Worse 99, aRitie Randall 102, Hannikin Red 112.

FIFTH RACE—$1,000, claiming, three-year-olds up, one mile and a sixteenth (41); Dr. Tiara 110, Rosedale 94, Twin Fox 98, All over 108.

SIXTH RACE—$700, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs (6); The Mohawk 2nd 102, Pinky 102, Jordan 105, Mary Fox 108, Jonn Grass 107, Super Cargo 107.

SEVENTH RACE—$600, claiming, three-year-olds up, mile and sixteenth (8); aBlue Bell 102, aMarita 102, aWood Lady 106, Quorrock 106, Compact 110, Grey Lad 108, Star Rose 113, Rising Sun 110, Dr. Dabney 112.

EIGHTH RACE—$700, six furlongs, claiming, three-year-olds up (14); aChilkoot Boy 105, Privet Hedge 108, White 110, Mainsvens 110, aVinstar 110, Jack Ryan 110, aAmber Allen 110, Sir Bedford 112, aJoe V 112, aMinora 112, Rose Ann 113, aSweet Lady 110, Nat McKinney 115, Bedsdale 115, Meadows 117, Pine Street 112, aBallentine 112.

Weather clear; track fast.
aApprentice allowance claimed.

SPORT BROADCAST

BY JIM MURPHY

ABOUT BOB QUINN

Bob Quinn hustling proxy of the Red Sox, makes no idle promises. He is doing everything within his power to give Boston a winning club, but as far as making predictions is concerned he is silent. He wants a winner. He confesses that it is a new sensation for him to be stringing along with a tail-end club and he declares rather blandly that he doesn't like it.

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Quinn is a man who takes pride in his business. It is not all a money-making proposition with him. He wants to see his policies succeed and he wants others to join him in the glory when they do succeed. There is nothing selfish in his makeup. He is absolutely sincere. Any who have met him cannot doubt this.

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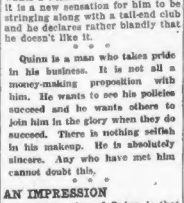
AN IMPRESSION

Our impression of Quinn is that he feels he is not doing things quickly enough to suit Boston fandom. He seems almost impatient in his desire to do almost anything to please. But let us allay Bob's fears right here and



BOB QUINN

now. Every Boston fan knows the mess Frazee made of the Red Sox and they also know that a wrecked organization cannot be rebuilt overnight. They doubtless feel as we do, i. e., Quinn has made progress in his one-year reign at Fenway Park and they are willing to wait for the better times which seem bound to come with a man of his type at the helm.

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A story that Quinn told about himself at a luncheon at the Parker House yesterday best illustrates his character.

"When the Red Sox were losing last Summer," said Bob, "I wanted to be alone at all times. When I reached home at night I wanted to get out and walk. I wanted to argue it all out in my own mind. I became so uncivil finally that I couldn't even reason with myself."

There we have the real Quinn, taking all the blame himself, feeling that he alone was responsible and trying to "dope" a way out of it.

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16 NEW FACES

Quinn is taking sixteen new men to the Summer training camp next week. They are the best his scouts could garner. He doesn't know whether they are wonders or blunders, but if he can get one or two good men from among them he'll be satisfied. As Scout Hugh Duffy pointed out yesterday: "One good man can make a big difference in a team," and we're hoping that there is ONE GOOD MAN in the Red Sox new lot.

REED LIKELY TO GET BOUT WITH FLOWERS

By JACK CONWAY.

Pal Reed, Framingham middleweight, will probably receive the next opportunity to tame Tiger Flowers. Lou Bogash proved that an aggressive fighter with a sock has a much better time of bringing the Tiger down than has a more resourceful ring man who lacks the resolve and determination that carries one to close quarters.

Flowers had the margin on Bogash when their contest ended, but he knew he had been in a regular fight. Reed is as aggressive as Bogash, also as fast and a harder hitter. There is more snap behind Pal's blows than there are behind those of Bogash.

Messrs. Bob McKirdy and Eddie Mack of the Commercial Club have Flowers signed to box on March 26. It was originally planned to have Johnny Wilson, former world's middleweight champion, test his ability against that of the Tiger. Wilson is willing to tackle Flowers again in an effort to even the score for the three-round technical knockout he suffered at the hands of the Southerner last December, but he is doing so he wishes to engage in a couple of hard bouts so that he will be at his best when he goes into action with the Georgian.

Meanwhile negotiations are underway for a Flowers-Reed match.

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THERE will not be any professional boxing in Boston until Jim Maloney of South Boston tosses some of his gonderous punches at Quinin Ramon Rojas, Chilian heavyweight, at the Commercial A. C.'s show a week from tomorrow night.

The managing of Maloney and Rojas has brought peace and quiet to the minds of Bob McKirdy and to Johnny McGrath. At the time Maloney signed to box Bully Montgomery he gave the Commercial Club an option on his services for his next bout. Various opponents were suggested, but they failed to meet with the approval of both parties. Finally McGrath agreed to accept Romero Rojas as the man to match.

The Boxing Commission was asked to name Maloney's opponent, but, very rightfully, refused to do so. The commission merely announced it would not sanction a bout unless it was one that looked like an even affair. The Commission evidently has at times made itself ridiculous by trying to act as matchmaker for clubs as well as the governing body of the game.

If everything goes well in the Rojas bout, Maloney, accompanied by Hambone Kelley and McGrath, will make a trip to California. By the time Summer arrives Maloney will probably be battling for big money in New York. He has the old wallop, which always has a popular appeal.

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ANDY MARTIN, South End hard-luck welter, continues to bowl over the opposition. Jimmy Barco of Manchester, N. H., was his latest victim. Martin shapes up as one of the most promising bantamweights in the country. He is managed by Billy Henderson and Sam Price, who are well versed in the fistic racket. Henderson has been responsible for much of the ring success gained by Eddie Shevlin, New England welterweight champion.

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NEW ENGLAND fans would like to see a few more star boxers developed. The calibre of the local boxers right now is very low. Eddie Shevlin is the last of the old guard. Until recently Shevlin was always able to pack any arena where he boxed.

Jim Maloney and Jack Sharkey are the best of the new crop of fighters. But we need more ring men if the game is to flourish here. There is too much competition attached to contests in which two boxers from outside places show in the feature match. When the going gets slow, the gallery gods immediately begin making reference to the "set-up" on the bigger bouts.

We have known the fans to cheer bouts between local boys where each has a following where faster contests between outsiders have been hooted strenuously.

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THE St. Joseph's T. A. Society will stage another amateur boxing show at Commercial Hall, Bowdoin Square on Saturday night. A large number of entries have been received and plenty of lively competition is expected in the different classes.

Three-Cushion Results

At Boston—Denton 50, Loshbaugh 32; Denton 50, Loshbaugh 28.
At Detroit—Lavien 50, Jackson 42; Lavien 50, Jackson 28.
At New York—Copulos 50, Hall 37; Copulos 50, Hall 36.
At New York—Lewis M. Vogler, Indianapolis, defeated A. S. Ivory, Baltimore, 50 to 38. Dr. Andrew J. Hartig, Chicago, defeated E. E. Wainwright, Pittsburgh, 50

HARRINGTON BACK IN B. A. A. LINE-UP

TONIGHT'S LINEUP AT ARENA

B. A. A.	BOSTON H. CLUB
Harrington, lw.	
	rw., McCarthy, Sayles
Ceran, c	c., Hutchinson, Eaton
Small, rw	lw., Sheehy, Scott
Smith, id	rd., Dumaine
Enright, rd.	ld., Marshall
La Croix, g	g., Langley
YALE.	M. I. T.
Scott, Lw	rw., Niles
Ferguson, c	c., Morton
Turnbull, rw	lw., Randall
Sargent, fd	rd., Berkeley
Potts, rd	ld., Robinson
Jenkins, Ives, g	g., Deignan

Yale's hockey team breaks into the picture at the Arena again tonight as part of the double bill. The Bulldog sextet takes on M. I. T. in the opening contest, while the B. A. A. and the Boston Hockey Club furnish the main attraction.

Howell Van Gerbig's decision to hang up his skates for the season because of the severe facial injury he received in Pittsburgh is a hard blow to the fortunes of the B. A. A., but this loss is balanced by the return to the game of hockey's newest sensation, Hago Harrington, stock left wing, who has been on the shelf with a bad charley horse in his right leg.

There is little love between the B. A. A. and Hockey Club players and although the Unicorn would have to go toe to toe with the Pittsburgh Hornets in the event of a win tonight Jack Hutchinson's crew will go after their local rival from the first drop of the puck.

Although the Hockey Club has found the going very tough on foreign rinks this season, its men are at the top of their game when they play on the Arena surface. No team appreciates this more than the B. A. A.

The B. A. A. team leaves for Pittsburgh tomorrow night for a two games series, Friday and Saturday, with the Hornets. The locals are anxious to clean up the Hockey Club tonight and go into Smoke Town on even terms with Dinny Manners' outfit.

Hockey Notes

Fans who attend the Arena games Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights will be favored with a spectacular skating exhibition by the ice stars of the New York Hippodrome. Miss Laura Jean Carlisle and Miss Freda Peterson.

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The sensational comeback of the Boston College teams, as its victories over Loyola College, B. A. A., and Boston University indicate, has steamed up the host of Eagle followers who will generously support the team in its games with McGill University tomorrow and Friday nights.

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The Dartmouth varsity squad will arrive here tomorrow afternoon to apply the final touches before their big game with Harvard Saturday night. Dartmouth graduates in Greater Boston will be well represented at the Arena for this game.

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Manager Joe Sheridan of the Maples has forwarded a letter of protest to Secretary Roy D. Schooley of the United States League at his Pittsburgh office over the suspension of Captain "Brick" Morrison for his attack on Irving Small following the game with the B. A. A. last Friday night. Sheridan argues that the punishment is excessive and wholly without justice, since, he claims, Small was just as guilty because the latter is alleged to have provoked the assault.

YALE VARSITY CREW IN OUTDOOR PRACTICE

New Haven, Feb. 18.—Four Yale crews were given their first outdoors workout of the season under the direction of Coach Ed Leader. Practice spins in the new double crew barge being held on the Quinnipiac River and harbor.

Rommel Signs

Philadelphia, Feb. 18.—Eddie Rommel, star right-hander of the Philadelphia Athletics' pitching staff, came to terms with Manager Connie Mack. This leaves one player, Frank Welch, outfielder, unsigned.

Braves Sign Infield Rookie

The Braves have signed up Edward Smith, a young infielder upon the recommendations of Joey Connolly, former Brave outfielder. The newcomer is a Passiac, N. J., lad. He played with Connolly's Woonsocket, R. I., team last season, and is regarded as very fast and a fine prospect. He formerly played with Passaic High team, also with the famed Liberty Silk Sox team of Paterson. He will go South with the second squad of Braves early in March.

3 More Giants Sign

New York, Feb. 18.—Three more veterans of the New York Giants joined the fold when Pitchers Bill Ryan and Virgil Barnes, and Outfielder Hack Wilson sent in their signed contracts.

Result Last Night on Mat

At Springfield Joe Stecher defeated Jack Shaben in straight falls, the first with a body scissors in 49 minutes and the second in 29 minutes.

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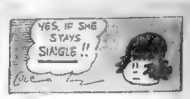


FOHL DECLARES ALL POSITIONS ON RED SOX ARE OPEN

EVERY NEW MAN HAS CHANCE

By FRED C. LANE

"Every position on the Red Sox club is open as a book."

Manager Lee Fohl of the Red Sox made this startling statement at a dinner given the sport writers of Boston at the Parker House yesterday. "It is my intention to add speed to the club and I hope to get that essential from out of the sixteen new players that are going South with the club this Spring," said Fohl

[illegible] pitchers high [illegible] Washington [illegible] here in exchange for Mack Myers.

Fohl and [illegible] are sure Prothro can help [illegible] Quinn. "We have seen him do it and it will not be [illegible] on his feet. That ball [illegible] away from the [illegible] is fast [illegible] pass ball. It is just such players that we want. Somebody that can [illegible] from second base on a hit.

FAST MEN NEEDED.

"If you remember," went on Quinn, "last season a ball had to hit the first base before a runner scored from [illegible]. It is just such a state of affairs we hope to correct, and the only way to do it is to start on with a lot of youngsters and bring them along.

"It took about five years to bring St. Louis into the [illegible] pennant class. They [illegible] in the first year, [illegible] the next and [illegible] the third was about ready to grab the [illegible] on in the league.

"We [illegible] Lee Fohl was head of the St Louis club the year he [illegible] that [illegible] and I did not find lacking one game for the title. Both Quinn and Fohl worked together in the remodeling of the St. Louis club and they apparently succeeded.

SPEA KHIGHLY OF RALLIO.

President Quinn thinks so anyhow and figure don't lie. That perhaps accounts for the faith and the fast friendship that exists between Fohl and Quinn.

Scout Hugh Duffey spoke highly of Rudy Rallio, one of the new pitchers from the Pacific Coast.

"I went to Dick Lewis about this fellow," said Hugh, "and also met a friend of mine that was unaware a deal was on. Both had the best to say of the kid. In fact Lewis considers him the best pitcher on the coast."

President Quinn broke in at this point and told how Duffy Lewis offered him a [illegible] price for Rallio but Quinn had a gentleman's agreement with Owner Lane of the Salt Lake club and promised to send the lad back to his original headquarters should he fail to make the grade."

Hockey Results

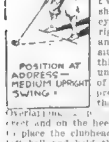
Hamilton Tigers 2, Boston Bruins 1.
Minneapolis 1, Pittsburgh 1.
Canadiens 3, Toronto 0.
West Point-Middlebury, cancelled

Inside Golf

By CHESTER HORTON

Maker of 31 Golf Champions, "Golf's most successful teacher," says "Chick" Evans.

For the medium upright swing, which best fits the great mass of average business men golfers, take a left-hand grip which lets this hand fall into a natural position on the shaft with the first two knuckles showing to the eye. Bring the right hand to an opposite position and slide this hand up until the thumb of the left hand presses against the left palm. Overlapping [illegible] start fairly erect and on the heels, [illegible] to place the clubhead back of the left ball and hold the shaft with the left hand only while taking the stance. As the right hand is brought in you will discover that the right shoulder must drop some to accommodate it. As this shoulder drops let the right knee bend inward toward the left knee. You then have Walter Hagen's position at the ball and you shall at once look as if you are going to hit it. The [illegible] you are ready to start the backswing, is largely on your right foot.



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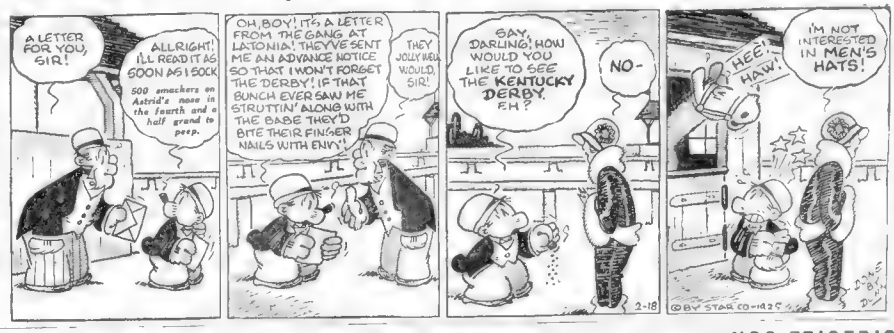
Moe was nosed out again yesterday. He spread his jingle on Fuo, but a pig which was the despised outsider in the betting came along and nipped him at the wire. Moe is sending one out today, and if it wins, Mike Regan will be able to replace the coat he was nicked for at Coney Island last Saturday night. Balance $16,030.54.

Moe and Joe, They Get the Dough---Sometimes



WOULD AWARD STUDY POINTS FOR SPORTS

Dr. Walter Whittaker, vice-chairman of the athletic committee of the Somerville school board has come to the front with one of the best suggestions offered in some time for the advancement of sport Dr. Whittaker was formerly a pitcher of fame, both at Somerville High and Tufts College, and has long been interested in sports.

His bill now before the board for consideration would give every boy that wins a berth on any athletic team representing the high school two points a year toward his diploma."

His idea is novel, but not entirely new, having been considered by many of the leading athletic authorities of the country at times in the past. In support of his measure, Dr. Whittaker cites the distribution of points by high school for various subjects that are not taken up in the class rooms

For example, at Somerville High two points are awarded any pupil that studies music under a competent teacher, one point is given each year for those that become members of the glee club, the orchestra or band, and one half point is given to class officers.

His theory is "that a boy in order to make good on an athletic team must give more of his time preparing and practicing than any of the subjects that follow the point award system."

"He is taken away from his books frequently, and because of his effort to uphold his alma mater, often finds himself lacking a point or two for a diploma," says the doctor.

President Coulter of Tufts is the first dean of any large institution of learning to come to the front in favor of the idea. He approves such a distribution of points and looks for the day when the idea will be taken up by all colleges in the country.

The scheme will go before the athletic committee for consideration at the next meeting. It will then be brought before the full board and voted upon.

Since nearly every member of the Somerville school board was at one time an athlete the matter is expected to receive favorable mention

As the bill reads the coach and the superintendent of schools would decide point awards. A rule of this kind would have a tendency to increase interest in athletics in every [illegible] letting it, coaches would be looked upon with the same respect as are the teachers in the class room and it would give the lad [illegible] standing equal chance with the [illegible] student who devotes [illegible] to his books.

2 HUB GOLFERS WIN WAY INTO SECOND ROUND

Bellaire Heights, Fla., Feb. 18 — Eight golfers, winners in the opening [illegible] round of the Washington [illegible] amateur golf match, were [illegible] to be off in the second round today. They included C. Ingram, Philadelphia, W. W. Hangar, Richmond, Ky.; Dr. J. A. Perry, Boston; P. J. Neely, Detroit; Jack Black, Cincinnati, and Leon R. Paton, Boston, medalist

RITOLA TRIES FOR NEW RECORD AT TWO MILES

New York, Feb. 18.—Willie Ritola, [illegible] A. A. champion, [illegible] a careful time schedule through which he hopes to better Paavo Nurmi's record of 8.58 1-5, established last Saturday night.

OLD TIME SPORT STORIES

by GEORGE V. TUOHEY

First organized effort to introduce soccer football in Boston was made in 1905

This is the 32nd of a series of articles on old-time athletes by George V. Tuohey, famous sports promoter, who has been prominent in athletics for thirty-five years.

With soccer football enjoying a present day popularity that attracts many thousands of spectators to the South End grounds here in Boston, and with teams in many cities playing regularly scheduled championship games before great crowds it is hard to realize that it is but a comparatively short time ago that even the sporting writers did not know how to spell the name of the then new fangled game

Was it spelled "socker, or "soccar"? Nobody seemed to know definitely so those who had to write about the game at the time spelled it any old way and let it go, at that.

This was about the time that we began to hear of the coming of Peter Gray and Alex Gray with an All England team to make a tour of eastern Canada and the United States. The first game between the two countries was to be played in Boston and our team, to the North

Mickey Hamil was Irish International, and a member of the Boston "Pros," a type of player the Hub gloats over today—quite different from 20 years back when the game was hardly known here

Merely a Pastime

True, the game had been played hereabouts by many teams made up of emigrants from England and Scotland, men employed in various trades, but it was especially strong where there were cotton and woolen mills, where these immigrants naturally drifted to seek work at their callings when they reached our shores.

But there was no organized effort to promote the game, nor was there any governing body. It was played merely as a pastime on Saturday afternoons and holidays between scrub teams, for the pure fun of the thing

During the Summer of 1905 the news reached here that Sir Cecil Ernest Cochrane, a noted English sportsman and devotee of the sport, had donated a $50 cup to be played for during the coming season by local teams in various [illegible] a team headed by [illegible] Patrick Tiles was [illegible] interested in the game to [illegible] Unity and when the time of the visitors showed [illegible] Boston Celtic [illegible] street grounds [illegible] to select the strong [illegible] to give the Pilgrims, as the English team was called, a real good [illegible] to bring out the real wonders of the game as a spectacular outdoor pastime.

Thoroughly Organized

The affair was [illegible] long will a [illegible] committee [illegible] asking of [illegible] was known [illegible] being [illegible] I. Taylor [illegible] Red Sox; George Wright, [illegible] H. Clark, the old [illegible] W. D. Sullivan of the [illegible] Walter Barnes, then with the Journal, W. Addison Porter, then [illegible] Harry Hillman of the [illegible] Johnny Mayhew, two of the [illegible] at the time [illegible] Thomas Fraser of the Fire Rivers and J. Purcell, who [illegible] in the scrimmage [illegible] many [illegible] Pease [illegible] finely [illegible] ion game, and from [illegible] making [illegible] Boston group was [illegible]

Enthusiasm Infectious

Sir Cochrane's enthusiasm over the game proved infectious, while his personal charm and magnetism won everybody, as the [illegible] who were always [illegible] spirit of the [illegible] had received [illegible] putting every [illegible] him up to that [illegible] or [illegible] on Visiting and [illegible] as he spelled it [illegible] placed Rugby in the end country [illegible] and that the finals [illegible] drew attendances running up to 100,000, which figures, I might add, has been increased until today there are as many as 150,000 present when the British [illegible] and so [illegible] at the [illegible] are [illegible] looked [illegible]

The game here [illegible] a popularity [illegible] and [illegible] something [illegible] present in [illegible] of [illegible] was played in [illegible] was so fast [illegible] and from [illegible] was [illegible] that we many [illegible] of [illegible] even [illegible] somebody [illegible] Lance was [illegible] lashed.

A [illegible] had [illegible] been the attendance that addition after addition have been made to accomodate the increasing attendance.

PENN CARNIVAL LEADER DIES IN POVERTY

Philadelphia, Feb. 18.—Frank B. Elkinton, Philadelphia lawyer and originator of the University of Pennsylvania carnival of relay races and sports, which has become one of the great college athletic meets of the [illegible] Carnival [illegible] known here. Information of his [illegible]

[illegible] of thousands of dollars [illegible] to a crippled child and which he [illegible] as attorney, held for her as [illegible] trust. After the war he did not [illegible] in this country. Recently he [illegible] a living in Tunis by acting [illegible]

[illegible] Lee who attended the [illegible] games [illegible] and [illegible] Dame [illegible] he was [illegible]

GLENNA COLLETT AMONG LAST 8 IN TOURNEY

[illegible] the elimination yesterday of Mrs. Quentin Feltner of New York, twice Florida State champion and Miss [illegible] Providence.

Miss Glenna Collett of Providence who has also held the trophy twice defeated Mrs. Feltner yesterday 4 and 3.

Miss [illegible] Providence, Mass., [illegible] with the [illegible] [illegible] Miss [illegible] [illegible] national champion [illegible] Miss [illegible] Chicago [illegible] Mrs. Alexander [illegible] York, Miss [illegible] Wall [illegible] vs. Mrs. [illegible] Chicago, Miss [illegible] Philadelphia [illegible] Field, Mrs. [illegible] Miss [illegible] Kelly, Chicago [illegible] Miss [illegible] Collett, Providence.

JOHNSON EXPECTED TO SIGN CONTRACT TODAY

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 18.—With the arrival of Walter Johnson, pride of [illegible] Clark [illegible] [illegible] the last [illegible] Manager [illegible] word [illegible] champion, [illegible] not [illegible] expected Johnson to affix his signature to a [illegible]

Fred Marberry, [illegible] of the Washington pitching [illegible] was nursing a lacerated hand [illegible] as the result of a [illegible] Pittsburgh [illegible] hours [illegible] next Tuesday [illegible] [illegible] to join the [illegible] [illegible] training camp

KEARNS KNOWS NOTHING OF DEMPSEY-GIBBONS BOUT

Los Angeles, Feb. 18.—If there is to be a Dempsey-Gibbons bout in California next May or June, Jack Kearns [illegible] [illegible] has not yet been so informed, he said today when told [illegible] have [illegible]

[illegible] particularly new to him, and that so far he had received no acceptable offer from anyone for a bout with Dempsey.

Girl Swimmers Set Four New World Records

[illegible] Amateur Athletic Union meet.

Gertrude Ederle of New York [illegible] a [illegible] swam 150 yards, free style, in 1.50 2-5. The other records, also established by New York girls, were: Doris O'Hara, 150 [illegible]

Geraghty, 100 yards [illegible]

LATHAM CHOSEN PILOT OF TECHNOLOGY CREW

At a meeting of the Tech [illegible] men, William Harris Latham of Norwich, Conn., was elected captain of the years crew. Latham is a junior at Tech and succeeds Dave Sutter, captain elect, who had to

School Sport Card

Hockey

Navy vs. Harvard at [illegible]

Basketball

Connecticut vs. Dartmouth vs. Massachusetts Aggies at East Armory.

Swimming

Dorchester vs. East Boston at Curtis Hall.

Hockey

Everett at Medford

Somerville at Lowell

UGO FRIGERIO COMING FOR LEGION MEET

Charlie Gorman, athletic manager of the American Legion track meet announced today that Ugo Frigerio, Italian walking champion and Olympic winner, will be one of the stars [illegible] to [illegible] in [illegible] Legion office takes action on Grady's case before next Saturday the Harvard team will benefit by the appearance of Coady at one of the defence positions

PRATT LOST TO HARVARD SEXTET

[illegible] was [illegible] a [illegible] became [illegible] [illegible] secret, [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The WNAC American Women's Club Talks go on the Martha Lee begins her talk about 10:55 A. M. air now at 10:40 A. M.

RADIO AMERICAN

The Boston American, broadcasting through WNAC, daily, will give latest news flashes at 11:30 a.m. and 1:30, 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. The American will broadcast Foxy Grandpa's bedtime story and little stories about the folks in the funny strips through WNAC at 5:30 daily.

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Martha Lee's Radio Chat

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By Martha Lee
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RECIPE NO. 936.

SCALLOPED POTATOES WITH HAM
6 cups diced cold potato.
2 cups diced ham.
4 cups hot milk.
[illegible] cup flour.
[illegible] cup ham fat
1½ teaspoons salt.
¼ teaspoon pepper.
2 tablespoons minced parsley.

[illegible]

RECIPE NO. 938.

LAMB ORIENTAL
1 pound shoulder of lamb.
¼ cup chopped onion.
1 cup lamb broth
2 cups canned tomatoes.
2 cups string beans.
½ teaspoon pepper
2 teaspoons salt.
6 tablespoons flour.

[illegible]

RECIPE NO. 937.

HUNGARIAN GOULASH
1 pound veal from shoulder.
1½ cups boiling water.
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup sliced white turnip
1 cup cut celery.
1 cup small onions.
2 cups cut potatoes.
2 tablespoons flour.

[illegible]

RECIPE NO. 939

DANISH BREESTALK
1 pound round steak, chopped.
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper.
¼ cup minced onion
1½ cups celery
3 tablespoons fat.
2 tablespoons flour
2 cups cooked macaroni

[illegible]

DANCING AT LEVER BROTHERS' FETE

Jerry Allen and Cora Mc Carthy, who will dance at the [illegible] Lever Bros. Employees' Progress Club of Lever Bros. tonight at Mechanics Building.

By the Clock

[illegible]

LAST NIGHT

By THE LISTENER

The Wednesday night concert of William F. Jacobs, tenor of the Boston Opera Company, was an important feature on WNAC's midweek night program. Every where you go, you find people who mention Mr. Lodge's wonderful playing. There is something about it you'll [illegible]

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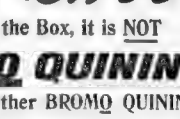

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MAGAZINE PAGE

This Day in History

THIS is the anniversary of the death, in 1546, of Martin Luther, whose preachings started the Reformation and led to the establishment of the Lutheran Church and the great struggle for the final freedom of worship.

ORA LEE

A Story of Flaming Youth

and Soul of 1924 Flapper Laid Bare in Best Story by Author of "Chickie"

START THE STORY HERE TODAY

Margaret Meadows married Will Lee at seventeen. His dissolute habits soon made her miserable. The night he raised his hand to his two-year-old child in a drunken rage she slipped from his home with her baby. Margaret supported her daughter by teaching school in several villages, finally settling in Fairdale, where she met Andrew and they fell in love. But he was tied to an invalid wife and Margaret refused to let him leave her. Nora, at seventeen, fell in love with Dane Herrick. Andrew was killed in an auto accident. Nora met Maxwell Reed, who made love to her. Margaret died and Nora was left alone. She plunged into a fast set of flappers. Dane upbraided her for her association with Max.

NOW CONTINUE THE STORY

By ELENORE MEHERIN

STILL he said nothing of the dark, pretty girl in the limousine. And she'd die before she'd ask one word!

She ventured stiffly: "Who is this friend of the Berthes? We might as well sit down. Of course, the dinner's half spoiled."

"Her name is Natalie Herbert, but she's Russian—an interesting person. She was born at Leningrad, lived in Moscow, though her father is English. There's code in two of them now. They're all friends. We drove me home, or rather the chauffeur drove me."

"Oh! That dark, pretty, YOUNG girl who was sitting with you in the limousine!"

He grinned and hoarded her shoulders, kept grinning down into her upturned, downcast eyes. "No, not a dark, pretty YOUNG girl at all. She's cats out of the bag—scarecrow."

She was forced to join reluctantly in a contagious laughter. "But just the same—well, you'd be upset if I kept you waiting hours, and then came flashing up with some handsome man."

"She's 35, Norry—she told me so. I'd say she's far from pretty. I'd be alarmed if the world was full of red-eyed, gum-chewing, cigarette-smoking, wise-cracking flappers. I married you for your simplicity, your naïveté, your—"

"Don't rave!" she begged. "If one great local novelist isn't enough for you, you can go today and get a prune whip enough to last you fattening here and there—you'll be door wide open. I wouldn't mind you for one single instant! I wouldn't shed one tear when you left. But I'm not going to be somebody different from what I think I married."

She whispered, hiding her face, "Who hit you today, darling?" I thought our wild evening was dead. Never seen it or date.

ny Falls.

erene perhaps. Are you ...ned?"

He looked at the table, at her in silence. He said ... I am Nora Lee. Are ... What's happened to excite ...

... nothing—nothing—only ... we sit home too much. We get ... notonous. We ought to go ... around and see things—keep up our interest. We've not been dancing or to a show in ages."

"Pretty soon, W. Nora Lee! But haven't those months been darn fleet even if you do try to fight with me now and then? Haven't they been good circus?"

His hand reached across the table. A night's gladness went ... ding to her like. He wasn't ... with her, wasn't flirting ... made an commonplace and drab. Then first fear of the world gnawed ... heart. failure. It was a ... sweet triumph.

Cost of Child.

She laughed ... ... to tell what had suddenly made her so jolly.

He got out a draughting board after dinner and began ... sketches. "Look over there, ... Nora Lee. Then we can talk about things. It's fun, but I like to argue about plans. Even if you don't say much it crystallizes my own ideas."

They were two books on architecture. She began to read them in a glow of excitement. After half an hour she left her chair, wandered to his side, intent, brown strong ... his hands with their fine, vehement fingers.

She thought of the face over the card table—of Margaret Cole complacently announcing that she'd decided to have a child. How could a girl like that cut those every week? She wondered if she herself wished a child? Finding a hot ... sardines aching at her heart, she began to read again.

They hadn't money enough ... of course, to ... considering. Working, Watching.

For the next month he worked every evening. She read and watched.

Sometimes she grew weary and restless and longed to rush out in the streets and walk miles in the moonlight—sometimes hours passed and the unbroken silence weighed like a canopy of lead.

Then she thought with alarm: "This may go on for years. I'll ... here right after night. I'll turn into a mute."

When he finally laid down his pencil he was often too spent to talk. He would say with a yawn, "I'll have it all doped out pretty soon. It's going to be good."

She felt like crying. Lying awake long after he was deep in sleep she ... "I have no interest ... him, none. His work ... with him than I do!" And ... tried to have ... truth she so dreaded.

The next night when he was preparing to work she said in a ... soon per pear: "Dane—must you ... every night? Oh, let us have an hour."

He grew pale and pushed the papers from him and got up ... slowly from the table. His ... trembled, taking hers. "It's for you that I'm working, Nora Lee."

Prisoner Wife

"Yes, yes I know—but let us not put work above everything." She laughed with a touch of hysteria. "I feel shut out from you—I feel so alone."

His fingers tangled in her hair. He stooped suddenly and kissed her. "I don't mean to make things so hard for you, Nora Lee. I'm keeping ... Maxwell Reed. He's ... the world ... Mrs. Herbert likes the parts she's giving me tremendously, and that's pretty good because she understands design. She's ... the best places through the whole of Europe—"

"She's crayoned."

"Even more."

"No wonder she's brilliant."

"No—and then the educated Russians are really educated. She speaks five languages, and all fluently. She can read a plan as easily as I. She makes good suggestions."

Nora Lee studied one of the books she had been reading on top of the other. She did it a trifle studiously, for she'd used to have meeted at, thor at knowledge and poired it swift ly into her head.

Resolutions

Walking down one ... ward the bay, she held his hand tight as a little child might. She made resolutions grimly. She would get up early, wash her work-studs. She would go over her French—take up Spanish. She would try writing again, but no, let life with Inez pass, be so fascinating that all the educated Russians in the world would have no glimmer of a chance to shine while she was aroused.

The next evening as she was rushing home late from a card party Natalie Limousine swept to the door. Nora Lee caught a rapt glimpse of a dark, vivid face framed with an immense collar of white ermine.

To Be Continued Tomorrow.

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Far from the Madding Crowd

DRAWN BY NELL BRINKLEY

... where Lincoln Hall ... Susette ... take to the deep ... ing of ... wind through the ... of the pines and needles ... splashing of sapphire and diamond ... that washed the moss ... stones, wakened at wide ... by the flash and ... of a startled ... tanager, broken out of ... woodland dreams by the gentle, lonely tink-tonk of a cowbell.

They are hoping that perhaps they might meet Love there. But the Unusual Three dream of a ...

Ways of a Husband

By Ann Lisle

And ... put in beyond the ... ward me. It was ... "Oh, Ann! I ... assembled into my ... fast. Never slips on a ... from murmuring ... who—how some ... In a moment she ... of star-lit ... valley ... was ... and forgotten. Then ... she ... trembling ... him as ... telling ... bare ... shoulders ... awake now. And ... back.

Sad and ... of a world ... to see to ... Joe, ... he ... me ... and turning ... other ... husband ... me ... Forgive ... I confess ... to ... I toughened ... I used ... I felt that ... made ... Sad not ... Then ... Angel ... I ... I ... Ask ... Now, ... in ... to ... me ... said ... But they ... words ... If ... away ... Love ... gas ... I ... Ann ... Ann ... Ann

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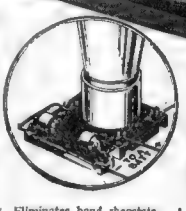

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By M. A. SIMMONS
Technical Radio Editor

The proper filament control of the tubes used in any set determines to a large extent the results obtainable with the receiver. The average person operating a receiving set today overloads the tubes on filament voltage to obtain maximum volume. This results in shortening the life of the tubes, and also is apt to produce some distortion. Tubes are designed to operate at a certain filament voltage to produce maximum results, and any further increase although at times may temporarily produce more volume, shortens the life of the tube and changes its operating characteristics. This can be proven by the fact that the 199 tube may be operated on six volts instead of three, but after operating there for a while it will be found impossible to operate them with any results on three volts. Overloading tubes on B battery supply, also changes the characteristics of the tube.

Best results and continued long life can only be obtained by using the tube voltages specified by the manufacturer. The question of just how to properly control the filament, therefore, is of great importance. In the case of filament control by the use of rheostats, it leaves to the person operating the set the chance to overload the tube. Because of this human element, many manufacturers have been seeking some device that would eliminate hand control of the filament voltage of the tubes. This tends to eliminate some of the chances for improper operating of the receiver.

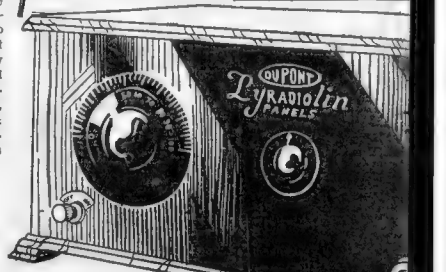
Such a device is now on the market and produced by several different concerns. One of the oldest in the field is the Radiall Co., of New York, who produce their device under the name of Amperite, in other words, Right Amperes. This device is a perfect automatic filament control and eliminates the use of hand control rheostats, although they may be used in the set if you so desire. In case rheostats are used, two will be required, one for detector tube and one to control the other three.

The Amperites were chosen because they have given satisfactory operation over a period of time, and because they are small and easily placed in the set. Each Amperite is fully guaranteed against defects. Special tests were conducted by the technical department of this paper to determine the full characteristics of the Amperites. Tubes of the same type, but having different operating characteristics were tried out to determine whether the Amperite would affect the tuning control of the set. One test was to bring a tube to the oscillating point and then change to another tube which had a different oscillating point to find out whether the Amperite would adjust itself to the characteristics of the new tube. It was [illegible] the Amperite adjusted itself to the tube, and the tube functioned the same as the first tube. However, the Amperite is recommended where a soft detector tube is used, such as the type [illegible].

The question of what Amperite to use for various tubes is answered in the following table:

Tubes	Battery Voltage	Type Amperite
201 A, 301 A, DV 2	6-volt battery storage	[illegible]
WD 11, WD 13, C 11, C 13	3-volt battery storage	[illegible]
WD 11, WD 12, C 11, C 12	1½-volt dry cell	[illegible]
UV 199, C 299, DV 3	4½ volts (3 dry cells) 4-volt storage battery	[illegible]
UV 199, C 299, DV 3	6-volt storage battery	[illegible]

Example: If you are using DV3 tubes on a six-volt storage battery you would buy the [illegible] Amperite. If you are using dry cells or a four volt storage battery, the 4V Amperite.



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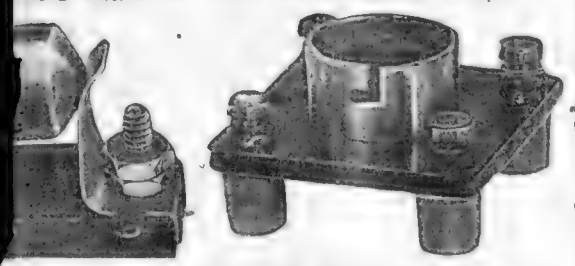
SOCKETS IN FOUR-R SET



SIGNAL IS AN IDEAL SOCKET

Many Radio Fans seem to be of the opinion that any old socket will answer for the set that they are intending to build. It is our opinion that a socket can make or break a new set. If the socket insulation is not of the proper material, a great deal of leakage will take place with a consequent loss in signal strength. This leakage a great many times may be heard in the phones, and therefore, spoils the quality of music.

Many fans do not realize that a good share of the scratchy noise heard in the receiver is caused by poor contact made between the terminals and the socket springs. The ideal socket spring is made of phosphor bronze, a very springy metal. The spring will always then return to position when the tube is taken out of the socket.

Cheap sockets have insulation made up of a composition which we generally call "mud." This kind of insulation may be tested by the fan by melting it and rubbing on a piece of paper. If a heavy black line is left from the insulation it is a good indication that the sockets of this kind. When a socket

me iron is touched against it sockets, the insulation very quick

Another good point to consider on any socket, is the method of anchoring the binding posts so that they will not loosen up. The head of the binding post screw should have a barred edge so that when assembled it digs into the insulation of the base. The binding post nut should not be round, but should be hexagon or have a few flats so that may be tightened up properly on the wire or lug is placed under it.

Another good feature on any sockets is the placing of soft rubber washers underneath so that many phonic sounds will not develop in the tubes and cause a ringing noise in the phones or loud speaker. In small tube sets the loud speaker is apt to build the loud speaker is apt to develop a tremendous howl if the tube elements are started in motion by vibration.

Note the rubber feet underneath the SIGNAL SOCKET which eliminates microphonic noises from the tubes. In mounting this socket round head wood screws of the size wire gauge and at least inch long should be used.

In the box of the SIGNAL socket there are two brackets for panel mounting. These are not to be used. Also there are two brass machine screws with a washer of brass and one of soft rubber.

Slip the two washers off the machine screw and place them on the wood screws. Then fasten the socket down. Do not run the screws in tight at the socket as no play or movement of the socket is necessary to build up and cause noisy.

All that is necessary in a good socket is that the springs make good contact at all times that the insulation be of genuine bakelite that means are provided for making tight connections to the binding posts and that the tube sets solid in the socket form.

The SIGNAL SOCKET has satisfied all of our requirements for a good socket. The price of the socket is very reasonable and extra equipment comes packed in the box for mounting the socket in various ways

SEC. HOOVER REVIEWS THE RADIO SITUATION

In view of the very rapid changes in radio technology within the last six months and to give greater clarity to departmental policies, it seems to me desirable to review the situation.

There can be but one point of view in the consideration of regulation and development. That is to assure increasing service to the listener. The radio is steadily enriching our homes. More particularly to our farmer folks it is bringing more of those contacts that the town populations have alone enjoyed up to this time. The road of progress is to stimulate the development of the art; to prevent interference with and between broadcasting stations through maintained competition; to secure greater perfection of reception, increase in the number of alternative programs and better programs.

The most difficult problem in radio regulation and development is the distribution of wave length use so as to prevent interference between stations. There are in all 88 different wave lengths available if we keep the stations ten kilocycles apart and stagger the assignment of wave lengths geographically so as to prevent overlap in the area of effective reception. The recent expansion of the department in attempting to increase the number of wave lengths by decreasing the difference to seven kilocycles proved unsuccessful with the present development of instruments.

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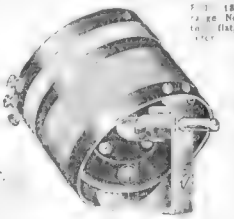

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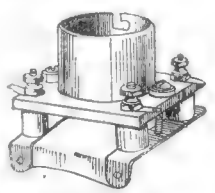

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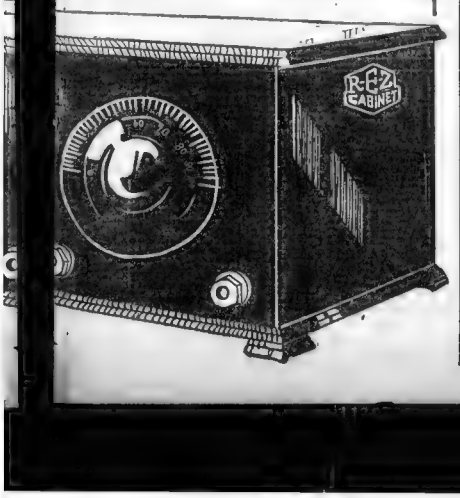

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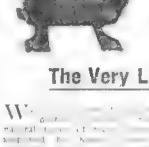

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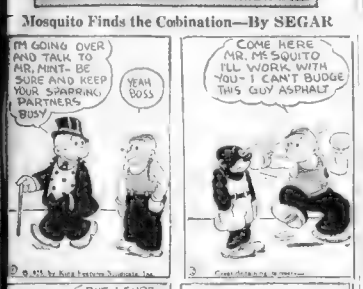
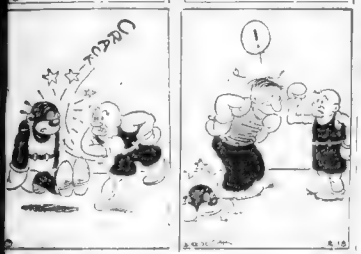

I'M GOING OVER AND TALK TO MR. MINT- BE SURE AND KEEP YOUR SPARRING PARTNERS BUSY
YEAH BOSS
COME HERE MR. MOSQUITO I'LL WORK WITH YOU- I CAN'T BUDGE THIS GUY ASPHALT



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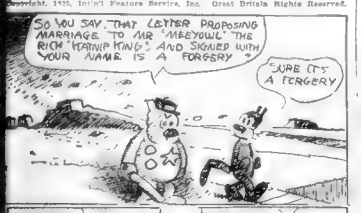
SO YOU SAY, THAT LETTER PROPOSING MARRIAGE TO MR 'MEEYOW,' THE RICH 'KATNIP KING,' AND SIGNED WITH YOUR NAME IS A FORGERY?
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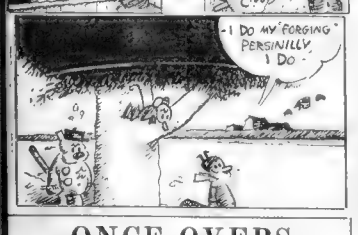

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Every little ill ache or pain, real or imagined, indicates the presence of some serious affliction.

Always to be complaining and ailing calls for some decisive action to indicate that they are seeking sympathy or tolerance for some of their follies of excesses.

The man who is seriously afflicted seldom refers to his condition.

He endeavors to drive the thought from his mind, and certainly does not wish to emphasize his condition to a world by talking about it.

The patient, quiet man who tries to make light of his ailments and keep his family in ignorance of the severity of his symptoms as long as possible is the one for whom there should be felt the greater anxiety.

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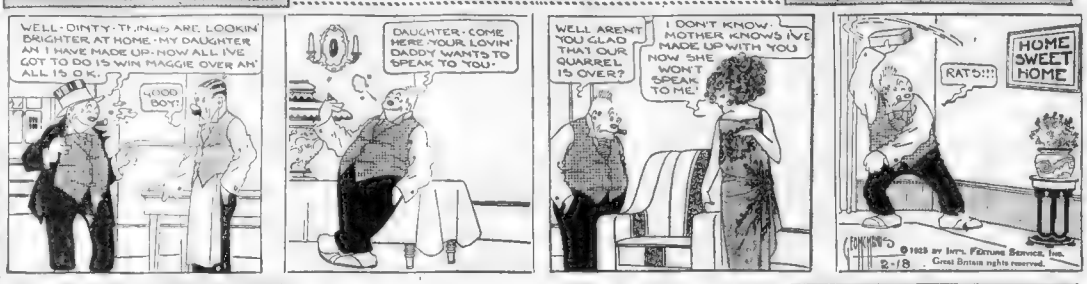
BRINGING UP FATHER

Maggie on Another Tack

By George McManus


WELL-DINTY-THINGS ARE LOOKIN' BRIGHTER AT HOME-MY DAUGHTER AN I HAVE MADE UP-NOW ALL IVE GOT TO DO IS WIN MAGGIE OVER AN' ALL IS O.K.
GOOD BOY!
DAUGHTER-COME HERE-YOUR LOVIN' DADDY WANTS TO SPEAK TO YOU-
WELL AREN'T YOU GLAD THAT OUR QUARREL IS OVER?
I DON'T KNOW- MOTHER KNOWS IVE MADE UP WITH YOU NOW SHE WON'T SPEAK TO ME.
RAT?!!!
HOME SWEET HOME
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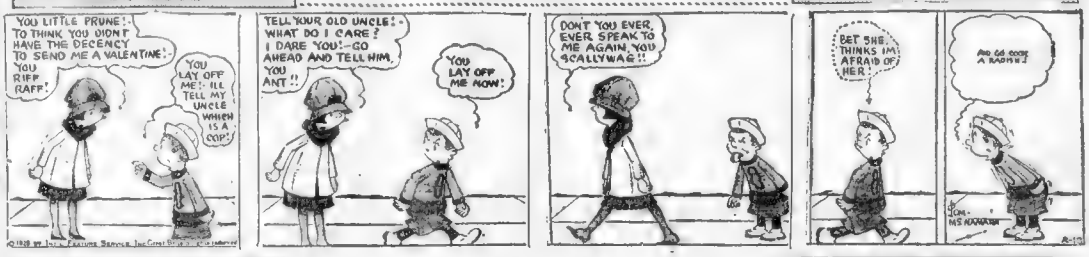
Cops Mean Nothing to Emily

By McNamara


YOU LITTLE PRUNE!- TO THINK YOU DIDN'T HAVE THE DECENCY TO SEND ME A VALENTINE!-
YOU LAY OFF ME!- ILL TELL MY UNCLE WHICH IS A COP!
TELL YOUR OLD UNCLE!- WHAT DO I CARE? I DARE YOU!-GO AHEAD AND TELL HIM, YOU ANT!!
YOU LAY OFF ME NOW!
DON'T YOU EVER, EVER SPEAK TO ME AGAIN YOU SCALLYWAG!!
BET SHE THINKS IM AFRAID OF HER!
AND SO GOES A RADISH!
JOHN McNAMARA

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Out to Lunch

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By Rube Goldberg

I'LL BE BACK IN HALF AN HOUR
HERE'S A PEACH ABOUT TWO TRAVELING SALESMEN
I MUST HURRY BACK BUT I'LL PLAY JUST ONE GAME OF POOL
THIS IS ABSOLUTELY THE LAST - I MUST GET BACK
IS THE BOSS IN?
HE'S STILL OUT TO LUNCH- BUT THERE'S NO USE IN WAITING BECAUSE IT'S FIVE O'CLOCK AND WERE JUST CLOSING UP
HE LEAVES HIS BUSY OFFICE FOR A QUICK LUNCH AND SAYS HE'LL BE RIGHT BACK-
THE MEAL CONSISTS OF TWENTY MINUTES OF EATING AND AN HOUR OF CONVERSATION-
HE GETS A LITTLE FRESH AIR AFTER LUNCH-
HE FINALLY TEARS HIMSELF AWAY AFTER THE FOURTEENTH GAME-
ON THE WAY BACK TO THE OFFICE HE REMEMBERS HE NEEDS SOCKS- AND THERE'S A SALE OF NECKTIES GOING ON, TOO-
STILL "OUT TO LUNCH"
YES, I WORK LIKE A SLAVE. I ONLY TAKE TEN MINUTES OFF FOR LUNCH
I KNOW. THAT LUNCH STUFF IS BOLONEY

FILLUM FABLES

Two's Company—Three's a Crowd

By Chester Gould

-TODAY- EASY BOY, EASY-
WHEN WE LEFT OFF YESTERDAY = CONNIE HAD ESCAPED FROM THE RAIDED CAFE ONLY TO BE FORCED ABOARD A LAUNCH BY HER HARD BOILED ESCORT AND TAKEN OUT TO SEA
OH YOU FIEND = YOU POSE AS MY FRIEND AND THEN YOU KID-NAP ME = (SOB SOB)
BE CALM SISTER I WON'T HURT YOU 'LESS YOU GIT UP
THEN, THAT WONDER-WORKER, FATE, THAT SHAPER OF ALL DESTINY, REACHES OUT A PHANTOM HAND AND GUIDES THE BOAT TO THE ISLE UPON WHICH MANUEL WAS YESTERDAY CAST UP FROM HIS SHIPWRECK
WE'LL JUST CAST ANCHOR HERE AND SETTLE DOWN TO THE QUIET COUNTRY LIFE
A SHORT DISTANCE DOWN THE ISLAND MANUEL IS RECOVERING FROM HIS EXHAUSTION
30 MAIL FOR LUNCH!
OH WHY WAS I TAKEN FROM MY CONNIE? OH WHY?
ER-ER-WHY THAT'S HER NOW = THAT'S CONNIE
CONNIE
MANUEL
GIT AWAY FROM THAT GAL BUDDY
CHESTER GOULD
CONTINUED

DAILY SHORT STORY

THE RIDGELY'S HOUSE PARTY

By Elizabeth Moore Joyce

Clarence Ridgely decided to [illegible] "why do you allow all these [illegible] a glimmer of hope for poor old Ridgely?"

A Poor Lot

[illegible] Clarence welcomed them all, giving lavishly of his time which was valuable, and of his money of which fortunately he had plenty.

[illegible] Horace Ridgely and Mrs. Carrie [illegible] Ridgely and Miss Clarence [illegible] Horace Ridgely. Miss Clarence [illegible] Ridgely."

[illegible] Clarence looked worried. "I wish I knew, Horace," he replied "I don't understand it myself.

Horace Ridgely laughed. "You're a good old scout, Clarence, too good, that's enough to mention. But [illegible] Ridgely, why do all that kind [illegible] Clarence looked worried. "I wish I knew, Horace," he replied "I don't understand it myself.

Horace Ridgely laughed. "You're a good old scout, Clarence, too good, that's enough to mention. But [illegible] Ridgely, why do all that kind [illegible]

"What's the matter [illegible] I'm afraid your case is hopeless—unless, there's only one way out of it—marry a sensible woman who will know how to get rid [illegible]

"Don't go back, Doctor, at least [illegible] Clarence [illegible] "We have plenty [illegible] Haven't we, Corinne?"

"Indeed, we have," Miss Ridgely [illegible]

After the few days for which Ezitz had been invited [illegible] several weeks Mr. Ridgely [illegible] a couple more [illegible]

It seemed that Miss Shadwick, poetess, had dropped in to Mr. Ridgely's office to ask his opinion about her latest effort. While she was there Mr. Winkle, an earnest admirer, dropped in to [illegible] Mr. Winkle was a [illegible] Mr. Ridgely's views on the subject.

A Busy Day

As it happened to be one of Clarence's days [illegible] he had not been able to give either of his callers a satisfactory hearing before [illegible] Clarence suggested that they [illegible] and both guests were easily persuaded to remain all night.

Two days fallen in love with [illegible] wife," the poetess told Clarence the next day. "I believe if I were to stay near her I might write a poem [illegible]

Then she went to a while Miss Shadwick [illegible] Clarence noted [illegible] and Mrs. Ridgely rounded him [illegible] They missed just a chance [illegible]

"And I'm to be driven out of this [illegible] groaned Mr. Winkle [illegible] at my dear fellow," [illegible] Clarence assured him. "Both of you run into town and get what you need and we'll turn it into a little house party."

Then shortly after, without warning, a third cousin of Clarence's who [illegible] "Getting around" [illegible] was, her trunk and baggage and [illegible] Mamie herself known to Corinne.

"Clarence and his mother before him always told me I was never to miss them in my rounds," she explained cheerfully.

Then the Inventor

Clarence came soon but not [illegible] Mr. Andrews the inventor was with him as well as some luggage [illegible] for Mr. Andrews.

I found the poor chap down town sort of lone and down on his luck and brought him out with me. Knew you wouldn't mind. Why, there's Cousin Tessie. Mighty glad to see you Tessie."

"Quite a nice little house party, Clarence," Corinne told her husband later. "Another young lady might add to it, however, and we're one bedroom left.

"I know the very one," Clarence replied. "Miss Salmon, the actress. I'll call her up and you can invite [illegible]

"Now," observed Mrs. Ridgely with a smile after the entire star arrived, "it's my turn."

How it had happened none of the principals quite realized, but in no time Dr. Epitz and Miss Shadwick [illegible] were married if they were [illegible] merely. Less, I imagine, they [illegible] towards found themselves together in semi-secret [illegible] progressively [illegible]

Under the same [illegible] the youth who was to [illegible] as to his future was [illegible] because [illegible] move star to be that [illegible] opposite her was what he had been made [illegible] The inventor and Corinne Tessie [illegible] in each other's presence until they [illegible] that next [illegible] could they face he alone.

Ridgely Dazed

One by one the [illegible] couples left the Ridgely home to prepare for future [illegible] and Clarence rather dazed by it all [illegible] Horace laughed inordinately.

"Now don't go and get another house of your hands," he said.

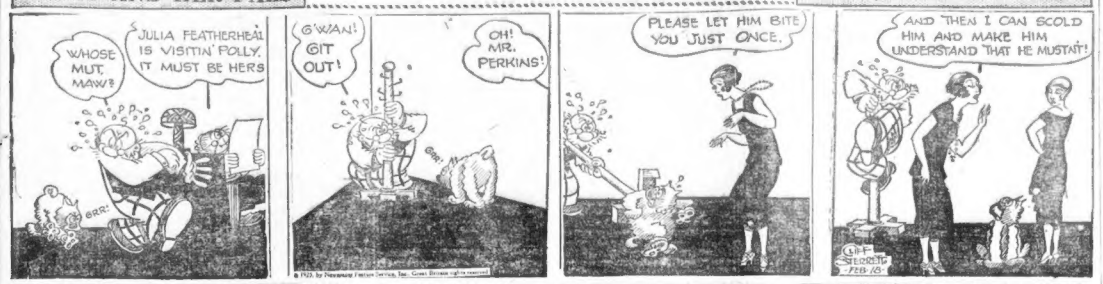
"Can't do it, Hod," Clarence answered with a puzzled look. "Corinne wants to move back to an apartment [illegible] she misses the city. We won't live but one guest room then and I can't say I'll be sorry."

"Clarence Ridgely," Horace said between his bursts of laughter, "you must have married a truly wonderful woman."

POLLY AND HER PALS

Otherwise the Dog Wldn't Understand It

By Cliff Sterrett


WHOSE MUT, MAW?
JULIA FEATHERHEAL IS VISITIN' POLLY, IT MUST BE HERS
G'WAN! GIT OUT!
OH! MR. PERKINS!
PLEASE LET HIM BITE YOU JUST ONCE.
AND THEN I CAN SCOLD HIM AND MAKE HIM UNDERSTAND THAT HE MUSTN'T!

ABIE THE AGENT

A Lesson in Salesmanship

By Hershfield

YES, MISTER KABIBBLE
I'M RUNNING THIS SHOE STORE ON A STRICTLY CASH BASIS - REMEMBER THAT, WHEN YOU'RE SELLING A CUSTOMER!!
SEVEN DOLLARS FOR THE SHOES? IS IT ALL RIGHT, IF I GIVE YOU FIVE DOLLARS NOW AND TWO DOLLARS TOMORROW MORNING?
THAT'S OK. I'LL WRAP THESE UP FOR YOU AND YOU CAN TAKE THEM!!
AND HE'LL BRING THE OTHER TWO DOLLARS TOMORROW MORNING
THAT'S NO WAY OF DOING BUSINESS- HOW DO YOU KNOW HE'LL COME BACK TOMORROW MORNING???
I GAVE HIM TWO LEFT SHOES !!

JERRY ON THE JOB

Make 'Em Believe It

By Hoban

REMEMBER NOW- NO MATTER WHO IT IS — I'M OUT - AND TELL THE BLOTS ABOUT IT SO NOBODY GETS IN HERE.
SURE - I KNOW WHAT YOU MEAN.
I'LL TELL THE BLOTS TO TELL ALL VISITORS THAT YOU'RE IN CHINA AND WON'T BE BACK UNTIL TOMORROW.
ALWAYS BE CONVINCING - THAT'S MY MOTTO.
WHAT'S THE PLOT OF THOSE TWO GUYS WALKING AROUND IN CIRCLES DOING NOTHING
THEY'RE WAITING AROUND TO TELL VISITORS THAT THE BOSS IS OUT -
AND IT'S MORE CONVINCING IF THEY AIN'T WORKING.
OH-I SEE!

THE HELPING HAND

Letters Not Answered Personally. No Attention Paid to Telephone Calls or Anonymous Letters. No Names Published.

Boy Would Help

Helping Hand Editor:

I am a widow and work in a building until 3 o'clock in the morning and have two children to care for. The boy is through grammar school and cannot find work. He is sixteen, neat and clean. I would be thankful if someone could give him work. MRS. G.

Needs Clothes

Helping Hand Editor:

I wonder if you could help me with some clothes? I am a married man with a family and have been out of work nearly all Winter. I wear pants 31-34 leg and shoe 7½. ROBERT.

Seeks Good Home

Helping Hand Editor:

I am in need of a place where I can have my infant baby with me. A good home in a Protestant family rather than high wages, with no washing or heavy work. Could care for home and one child if mother wanted to work out. MRS. M. F. D.

Other Needy Ones

Mrs. Joseph M. needs loose dress and coat, size 43 or 50; also coat and shoes for boy nine. Both greatly in need.

Mary S. 1 has a husband out of work and is expecting the stork. She needs clothes for boys four and two.

Mrs. C. Y. needs underclothes, suits and shoes for two grandsons, three and five, also bedding and clothing for girl fourteen, as well as for herself.

Mrs. G. F. needs clothing, size 38 or 38. Can make over.

Mrs. O'B. needs coat, size 38, shoes 5; clothing for girl six and shoes 7 and clothing for husband.

Mrs. Minnie D. needs clothing and underwear for boys five and three, size stockings for them. Husband out of work and has invalid sister to take care of. Can make over.

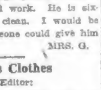
Ernest B. wants job so can support old mother. Will take any kind of work.

Mrs. R. L. G. needs clothes for her two boys six and four; also shoes size 10 for them. Only has small income and struggling to make ends meet.

Norman D., seven years old, would like some clothing and shoes. Has no father. Mother can make over.

Mrs. Emily M., widow, needs clothing, size 38, and for boys fifteen, eleven and eight. Been sick a great deal this Winter and still unable to work.

Mrs. E. A. S., old lady, would like some house dresses or a skirt and some waists size about 38 or 40. Unable to work and without means of support.


For Kiddies' Colds

"Just Rub It On"

Mothers who have precious little lives in their keeping realize the danger to delicate stomachs of so much dosing.

That is why so many millions of mothers now depend entirely upon Vicks for croup and children's colds.

There is nothing to swallow—you just rub Vicks over throat and chest at bedtime and cover with a warm flannel, leaving the bed-clothes loose about the neck so that the arising vapors may be freely inhaled. The child is usually better next morning.

Vicks can be used freely and often with perfect safety, even on the youngest member of the family.

VICKS VAPORUB

Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

MEDBURY SAYS---

By John P. Medbury

LOTS of people are going back to the old custom of having their marriage license framed. This is a good idea, but the place for marriage licenses is in the book ones along with time tables, stock certificates and other funny papers.

IT'S easy enough for the average man and wife to remember they're married without having to look upon the wall for a reminder.

BESIDES, the living room wall is no place for cross-word puzzles.

AND a woman shouldn't hang a marriage license in the dining room, because her husband's liable to choke some night while he's eating dinner.

THERE are other pictures which are just as appropriate, such as a battleship or a jail.

THERE is nothing romantic about a marriage license. That is, not if it has your name on it.

SOME people get married so often that they wouldn't have enough wall space to hang all their marriage licenses.

THE minute you spent three dollars for one of these fight permits your money is gone.

BECAUSE no matter how unhappy you may be, the city will never give you your dough back.

MARRIAGE licenses nowadays are printed on cheap paper because very few of them are ever kept longer than a year.

THE city should print them on celluloid and then a woman could rub the name of her old husband out and put the new one in.

SHE could continue doing this until she ran out of husbands.

ALL she'd need would be a cup of water and a sponge.

BY erasing it completely, your present husband will never know the names of the other man you've been married to.

HE can spend lots of pleasant evenings guessing who they were.

OF course when one husband is laid off, the wife should be courteous enough to tell him the name of his successor.

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RESINOL

Soothing and Healing

Gives such prompt relief from itching and burning, and so generally succeeds in clearing away skin disorders that it has become a standard treatment.

BEDTIME STORY

Broadcast Daily Through WNAC

Why Bobbie Named His Spider Arachne

By Foxy Grandpa.

BOBBY had caught a fat little spider and he thought by the way of nature study he would keep it in a box and watch it weave a web.

Now, as you know, Bobby has a great trick of naming everything and the first thing on the program—after the spider was carefully placed in a box which had a tight covering of mosquito netting over it—was to select a name for the busy little insect.

Bobby sat very still for a few minutes watching the spider and then said:

"Can you think of a good name for her, Foxy Grandpa?"

I waited a moment and then replied:

"I've just the name for her."

"What is it?" asked Bobby.

"A Greek name—Arachne," I answered.

"That's pretty hard," said Bobby. "But it just suits," said I, "and I will tell you why."

"Please do," said Bobby, curling up in the chair, ready for a story.

"You remember Minerva?" I asked.

"Oh, yes," replied Bobby. "The goddess of war and wisdom—who didn't have a father or mother—but dom and war. She was an inventor."

"Inventor?" exclaimed Bobby.

"Yes," I answered. "Minerva invented the first distaff and spindle. In fact, she excelled in every branch of female industry. She could do the most beautiful embroidery and was very proud of her skill in this fine needlework.

"Now there was a maiden of Lydia who thought she was a very fine weaver. So what did she do but challenge Minerva to a weaving match.

"So Minerva got to work. She weaved and she weaved. And she worked into her weaving the most beautiful designs—the most beautiful that she had ever fashioned. She just laughed when she thought that a mortal had the courage to challenge her—in this her great art.

"But when Arachne brought the fine piece of weaving which she had done and it was placed beside that of Minerva's, Minerva saw at a glance that the earthly maiden had surpassed her in art and skill.

"This made Minerva furious. She was fired with envy and determined to wreak vengeance on this audacious maiden."

"What did she do?" asked Bobby.

"Minerva forgot her manners and her position of goddess. She picked up her shuttle with which she had been weaving and threw it right into Arachne's face.

"This was a frightful insult. Arachne was humiliated and mortified to such a degree that she hanged herself from a beam."

"Oh," sighed Bobby.

"When Minerva saw what she had done she felt sorry, so she changed Arachne into a spider and allowed her to live so that she could weave unceasingly."

"My spider's name is Arachne," said Bobby, smiling up into my face.

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1925 MODEL

A little onion is a dangerous thing.

A fool and his money are very popular.

People who live in glass houses shouldn't tilt their soup plates.

There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the ball.

Square meals maketh a round man.

Man made the city, but woman made the beauty parlors.

IN BIMBO LAND

In Bimbo Land the bracelet watch strikes in their shoes so that they can be heard easily.

The woman really believe that their photographs flatter them and they hate flattery in any form.

UNDERSTAND THE CHILD

By Carolyn Lisberge

Lecturer and Writer on the Training and Education of Children.

"WATCH Dot when she comes home," a mother once requested a woman who made a special study of child training. "She tramps upstairs like a heavyfooted boy. I am continually having to remind her to walk lightly. She tries to heed me and makes a good start. But before she reches the landing she forgets."

When the girl of four and a half returned from her afternoon outing the student of child behavior became friendly with her. She asked her if she could go upstairs with her and see her toys. Delightedly Dot consented and at once made a bound toward the staircase.

"Oh! wait a minute," called her new friend. "Let's pretend we are kittens going up. Do you know what soft toes kittens have? They don't make a sound when they walk." So together the two of them ascended hand in hand, treading lightly.

While this young woman was in the house the child never started upstairs without asking her to "play kitten." She even played the game herself when she went up alone. Naturally it was not long before she had fallen into the habit of treading the stairs lightly, to her mother's delight.

To obtain this result did not take up extra time. Nor was it a strain on the child's nor the grownup's nerves. It merely called for some understanding that would make an appeal to the youngster.

Childhood is playtime. The world of make believe is real to the child. Mothers do not half realize how easily they could get the children to do anything they wanted if they called to their aid youth's love of imagining things.

SLOGANS

For an elephant—"Beauty is only skin deep."

For the shoplifter—"I believe in taking things easy."

For a plumber—"Rip Van Winkle was a piker."

For the little schoolboy called on to recite his lesson—"Children should be seen and not heard."

For a bill collector—"Lest ye forget, but go forget."

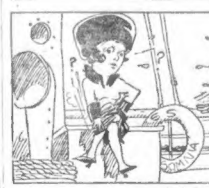
For the proprietor of a drug store—"My daughter gets her good looks from me."

For a hen—"I'll lay aside something for a rainy day."

NICK NACKS

By NICK FLATLEY

TOO SILLY FOR WORDS - By Charlie



Every woman needs three husbands, according to the latest dope—one for his money, one as a social butterfly, and the third to look out for the house. This would at least take care of the janitor situation.

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Irish Distress Not Abnormal—Headline.

After all these years, they should be used to it.

FABLE

There was a girl who rode home alone in a taxi, all the way to Newton, and never said a thing about it.

INVENTOR

This is the Hon. Noble Steed, who invented the iron horse on which the President exercises. "It was a flash of genius," he explains. "I had read that the President never let his imagination run away with him, and I thought he might have the same notion about horses. I was brought up on a farm, so realized that anybody who had to listen to a session of Congress for a whole day would immediately head for Canada if he had a good horse under him. The electric pony can gallop, but he never gets anywhere. For that reason he should make the President feel at home after he has been talking to the Democrats."

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Dora Dumb says she cannot understand why there is any objection to birth control, because she thinks it's ridiculous the way most babies are allowed to cry.

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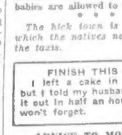
The kick loses is the one in which the natives never ride in the taxis.

FINISH THIS ONE

I left a cake in the oven, but I told my husband to take it out in half an hour, and he won't forget.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS

"I would never think of letting my daughter enter any of those beauty contests," says Annie Mattion, who has won seven consecutive prizes. "Before I foolishly consented to be a contestant at the Folwrk Elks' Carnival, I had a swell job as a stenog for eleven bersies a week. Now I have no job. I get all my committee for the advertising, and taros of the companies pay me plenty, and the importers give me all my clothes free, and I'm an ad for the houses, so I don't pay any rent. My car and chauffeur come in handy, of course, but how I long for the good, old job with its freedom and independence."



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Portugal will soon be civilized. Seventy-eight per cent. of the natives are now illiterate.

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The snow is done, the wineliks air
Should hearten any feller.
It would, if he could ever forget
The ashes in the cellar.

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Not that it makes any difference, but the correspondence school of salesmanship might properly be called an I institute.

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ONE ACT PLAYS

Scene—Any home.

Man (with finger at lips)—Quiet, please.

Guest—What's the matter?

Man—The wife is——

Guest—Not ill, is she

Man—Not exactly, but she has just found the love letters she wrote to me, and her nerves, naturally, are all shot.

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It gives us great pleasure, ladies and gentlemen, to introduce——

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Finis.

Why Experiment With Your Health

For seventy-three years in thousands of homes constipation and billousness have been relieved by

Dr. True's Elixir

Made of imported herbs of purest quality, pleasant to take, mild in action and effective.

The True Family Laxative

"I would not be without it," says Flora Desaults, Worcester, Mass. At first signs of constipation, when eyes and head trouble you, tongue is coated and stomach is out of order, ward off serious illness caused by constipation by taking Dr. True's Elixir. Family size $1.20; other sizes 60c and 30c.

Successfully used for over 73 years

Beauty

A Gleamy Mass of Hair

35c "Danderine" does Wonders for Any Girl's Hair

Girls! Try this! When combing and dressing your hair, just moisten your hair-brush with a little "Danderine" and brush it through your hair. The effect is startling! You can do your hair up immediately and it will appear twice as thick and heavy—a mass of gleamy hair sparkling with life and possessing that incomparable softness, freshness and luxuriance.

While beautifying the hair "Danderine" is also toning and stimulating each single hair to grow thick, long and strong. Hair stops falling out and dandruff disappears. Get a bottle of "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter and just see how healthy and youthful your hair appears after this delightful, refreshing dressing.

FINANCE

By B. C. FORBES

Another merger era is upon us.

Indications are that this year's consolidations will outnumber those at the opening of the century. Most of the big deals then were in the industrial field.

This year railroads, public utilities, mining companies, banks, oil companies, newspapers, magazines, hotels, stores, coal companies, baking companies, sugar companies, chain stores, ice cream and dairy companies, automobile and automobile body companies, copper companies, shipping companies, radio companies, cellar companies, ice companies, asbestos companies, outdoor advertising companies, cotton mills, and others have either figured already in completed consolidations or are reported to be arranging mergers.

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A similar movement is under way, though not so vigorously, in Britain, Germany and France.

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Why this world-wild trend towards bigness in business?

In one sentence, because machinery and rapid transportation and swift communication and expanding population and advertising have brought larger-scale production and distribution and consumption.

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This, in turn, has made business so complex that the ablest brains are now necessary to manage a modern enterprise successfully, and only concerns of magnitude are able to pay the salaries which such brains command. In fact, even six-figure salaries are no longer adequate to hire the top-notchers in various industries and in banking; hence the increasing vogue of profit-sharing for responsible executives.

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Our war-time experiences gave a tremendous impetus to co-operation and consolidations, for it was discovered then that a maximum of efficiency could be obtained only by large-scale production and handling. Whereas the United States government had formerly set its face—and its lawyers against great consolidations in transportation and in other fields, the transportation act of 1920 reversed this policy and specifically laid down that unless the railroads voluntarily arranged to group all our lines into a score of comprehensive systems, the government would undertake this task.

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Another potent influence has been the wonderful results achieved by Ford and other huge motor companies that have proved how prices can be lowered to the public when operations are conducted on a colossal scale.

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Again, the public's imagination has been captured by the limitless possibilities of "super-power," or, as the uniting men call it, interconnected power. It is already manifest that 1925 will bring a veritable deluge of mergers among power companies.

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Then, big business necessitates big banks. The late James Stillman was the first to see this and acted accordingly. His successors at the helm of the National City Bank of New York are again doing now what he did when "trusts" first began to spring into existence. This institution now has capital and undivided profits of no less than $43,000,000. Hardly a city of any size throughout the country has not witnessed local bank mergers during the last few years.

Stern necessity has brought about newspaper consolidations, all over the land. It now costs so much to produce a first-class daily that even the cities of the largest size can afford to support more than one morning and one evening paper.

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And so it goes all along the line—economic reasons have rendered consolidations inevitable.

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The next great field to be invaded by big business is likely to be agriculture. We may regret the passing of the country store since the advent of the automobile, and we may contemplate the coming of corporation conducted agriculture with sorrow, but all signs are that the economic trend is in this direction.

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This is not a discussion of the desirability or undesirability of mergers and still larger business, but an outline of what is happening and of the fundamental reasons therefore.

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PICKS BALDWIN TO LEAD BULL MARKET

By FRANK H. MELOON,
Financial Editor.

One of Wall Street's most successful brokerage houses picks Baldwin Locomotive to lead the next big bullish movement. Talk that the stock will cross 200 is heard.

One might not guess this from the poor report just issued, but, after all, that only represents water that has gone by the mill wheel.

A rejuvenation of stock would be likely to follow such a rise as is forecast for the big locomotive company.

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For 1924 President Vauclain continued the policy inaugurated the year before of setting up a dividend reserve to care for 1925 dividends at the regular rate of 7 per cent. per annum on both preferred and common stocks. This is insuring the continuance of the regular dividends this year without regard to what conditions in the equipment industry will take a turn for the better. This reserve to provide for dividends in 1925 and thereafter of $2,900,000 was taken out of surplus and set up as a special reserve, leaving surplus on December 31, 1924, $18,267,268.

President Vauclain

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Western newspaper observes that a New Englander is now president of the American Telephone Company—President Walter S. Gifford, Salemborn and Harvard graduate, may well be called a New Englander, but Harry Bates Thayer, now Telephone's chairman, and who was Mr. Gifford's predecessor as president, was also a New England man.

"Lest we forget," a few lines about Mr. Thayer will prove enlightening to many, eH was born Aug. 17, 1858, at Northfield, Vt., the son of James Clarke Barrell Thayer and Martha Jane (Pratt) Thayer. Both parents were born in Vermont of stock that came to this country in the earliest days.

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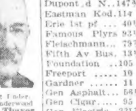
Walter S. Gifford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Harry B. Thayer

Mr. Thayer attended the public schools of his native town and was graduated from Dartmouth College in 1879. He began business life in the electric bank in Northfield. Vt., that same year, and two years later entered the employ of the Bell Telephone system as an assistant of the Western Electric Company at Chicago.

Within three years thereafter he was made manager of the company's business in New York, a distinction for a youth of 26, and his progress in the company was continuous. From 1884 to 1902 he was manager of New York; from 1902 to 1906 he was vice-president. In 1907 he became vice-president and general manager, and in 1908, president. In 1909 he was elected vice-president of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, and in 1919 became its president.

During practically his entire business life Mr. Thayer has been associated with the development of the telephone.

Mr. Thayer is a trustee of Dartmouth College, a director of the National Bank of Commerce and a director of various telephone companies.

Liberty Bond Prices

Liberty bond prices were: 2½s, 101.22; first 4s, 101.20; second 4s, 100.26; first 4½s, 101.24; second 4½s, 100.30; third 4½s, 101.12; fourth 4½s, 101.27; Treasury 4s, 100.29; Treasury 4½s, 104.27.

Grains are Steady

Chicago grains were steady. Prices: Wheat—May, 137¾c to 138¾c. Corn—July, 1.28⅜ to 1.28⅝; September, 1.23⅛. Oats—May, 53⅞ to 53⅞; July, 55 to 55⅛; September, 53⅜ to 54.

MIRROR OF BIG MARKETS

	Feb. 17	Feb. 14	Week ago.	Month ago.	Year ago.
Sales, Stocks	2,305,000	2,240,000	1,651,100	1,755,200	1,312,200
Sales, Bonds (par)	$16,651	18,419	13,851	15,897	10,158
Average, 25 Rail Stocks	96.83	96.67	96.30	99.30	90.23
Average, 25 Industrials	118.18	117.76	121.73	123.13	96.33
Corn	$1.28	1.27⅞	1.30	1.35	1.05
Wheat	1.38⅛	1.36	1.36⅛	1.38⅜	1.08⅞
Sugar	2.85c	2.81	2.86	2.86	5.48
Cotton, March	24.46c	24.19	24.37	23.59	29.86
Copper, per lb.	14.87c	15.00	14.75	14.25	13.375
Steel Billets, per ton	$31.00	37.00	37.00	37.00	40.00
Sterling (par $4.86)	4.76⅜	4.77⅛	4.77⅛	4.77⅛	4.79⅛
France (par 19.3c)	5.35c	5.35⅛	5.39	5.19	4.19
Lira (par 19.3c)	4.15c	4.13⅝	4.18½	4.18½	4.30½
Marks	23.80c	23.80	23.80	23.80	
Call Money	4-3½%	3½-4	3½	4%	
Time Money	5%-4%	4½-4	4½-4	4½-4	4½-4
Irving Fisher's Commodity Price Index	Saturday 161.3	Jan. 23 162.1	Feb. 24 147	May 23 247	1913 100

The 10 Leaders	Sales.	Close.	Change.	Ago.	Ago.	per Sh.	Div.	Yield.
U. S. Steel	116,500	123¾	+ ⅛	125⅝	102¼	x311.76	$5.00	4.05%
American Can	85,500	178½	+ 3	169½	119⅞	x820.00	$5.00	2.93%
Radio Corp.	49,800	60¼	+2¼	71⅝		x $2.00		
Amer. Smelt.	48,500	86¼	-3⅝	99¼	61	b 86.16	$6.00	6.34%
Baldwin	46,300	136⅝	+3⅝	134⅝	120		$7.00	5.35%
Shell Un. Oil	44,200	36	+ ⅛	36½	31⅞	e $1.16	$1.00	2.84%
Pan-Am. Pet. B	60,000	72	⅛	65	44¼	b $7.92	$4.00	5.55%
Gen. Motors	38,700	75	+ ⅝	73½	59	e $6.12	$6.00	8.00%
Mont'y Ward	37,400	47	—1	53¾	24¾	e $6.18		
Gen. Pet.	34,600	53⅝	+2½	48		d 28.75	$2.00	3.72%

a—1924. b—First six months 1924. c—First nine months 1924. d—Year ended June 30, 1924.

x—Based on 27 dividend (including 53 extra), Steel common yields 1.47%.

NEW YORK STOCKS

	Open	High	Low	2 P.M. Close
Air Reduction	96¼	96¼	96¼	96¼
Ajax Rubber	11⅝	11⅝	11⅜	11⅜
All Ch & Dye	85¾	85¾	85	85
Allis Chal Mfg	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
Am Ag Chem. pf	97½	97½	97½	97½
Am Ag Ch new	53	53	53	53
Am Beech M	39	39½	39	39½
Am Can	171½	171¾	170¾	171
Am Express	152	152⅝	152	152⅝
Am F P	24	24	24	24
Am Ice	88¾	88¾	88¼	88¼
Am Linseed pf	62⅝	63½	62⅝	63½
Am Locos	127	127¼	126⅜	126⅜
Am Smelting	99½	99½	97⅞	97⅞
Am Sugar	63½	63⅝	63½	63⅝
Am Sugar pf	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
Am Sumatra	19¾	20	19¾	20
Am Tel & Tel	133¾	133½	133¼	133½
Am Tobacco	87¾	87¾	87¼	87¼
Am Tobacco B	86¾	86¾	86⅝	86⅝
Am Water W	36	37⅝	36	37
Am Woolen	50¼	50¼	49	49
Anaconda	42⅝	42⅝	42¼	42¼
Associated Oil	36⅝	36⅝	36⅛	36⅛
Atch T & S F	123⅜	123⅝	121½	122
Atlantic Cts L	152½	153	152½	152½
Atl G & W I pf	40½	40½	40½	40½
Austin Nichols	26½	26½	26½	26½
Baldwin Loco.	131½	132¼	130⅜	132¼
Balt & Ohio	78⅝	78⅝	78⅜	78⅜
Balt & Ohio pf	65	65	64¾	64¾
Barnsdall Cl A	26¾	26¾	26¼	26½
Barnsdall Cl B	21	21	21	21
Beech Nut Packing	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
Beechnut	65	66¼	65	66¼
Beth Steel	46⅞	47	46⅜	46⅜
Bklyn Edison	126¼	126¼	126¼	126¼
Bklyn Un Gas	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾
Butte & Sup	19¼	19¼	19	19⅛
Briggs Mfg Co	36⅜	37½	36⅜	37½
Calif Pack	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜
Cen Leather	19⅛	19⅛	19	19¼
Cen Leath pf	62	62	62	62
Certain-Teed	52¾	52¾	52¼	52½
Chandler Mot.	30⅜	30⅜	30⅜	30⅜
Ches & Ohio	93½	93½	93½	93½
Chi & Alton pf	15¾	15¾	15¼	15¾
Chi & East Ill pf	32¼	32¼	32¼	32¼
Chi Gt West	12⅞	12⅞	12⅜	12⅜
Chi Gt W pf	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Chi & N W	68	68	68	68
Chi R I	45⅝	46⅜	45	45½
Chi T Cab	50	50	50	50
Chile Copper	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
Chino	25	25	25	25
Coca Cola	89½	89½	89⅜	89⅜
Congoleum	39⅝	40⅜	39½	40⅜
Consol Gas	75¾	76	75¾	76
Consol Distrib	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Consl Can	64⅜	64⅝	64⅜	64⅝
Consl Rubber	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
Corn Products	38⅜	39	38⅜	39
Cosden Co	31⅞	31⅞	31⅜	31⅜
Cuban-Amer	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼
Cuban-Am pf	91½	91½	91½	91½
Davison Chem	43¼	44⅜	43¼	44⅜
Del & Hudson	141	141	141	141
Del Edison	115	115	115	115
Dome Mines	15¾	15¾	15¼	15¾
Douglas-P	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Dupont d N	147⅜	148⅝	146½	148⅝
Eastman Kod	114	114	114	114
Erie 1st pf	40½	40⅝	40½	40⅝
Famous Plyrs	93¼	93½	93¼	93¼
Fleischmann	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
Fifth Ave Bus	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜
Foundation	195	196	195	196
Freeport	16	16	16	16
Gardner	11	11	11	11
Gen Asphalt	58½	57⅝	58½	57¾
Gen Cigar	95	95	95	95
Gen Electric	165	165⅜	164⅝	165⅛
Gen Petroleum	55	55⅝	54⅝	55⅝
Gen Railway	195	195	195	195
Gold Dust	39	39	39	39
Goodrich Tire	44⅞	45	44⅜	45
Goodyear pf	97¾	97¾	97¾	98¾
Great Nor Ore	37½	37½	37⅜	37⅜
Gt Wests Sug	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
Greene Can	89	89	89	89
Hartman Corp	31⅞	32	31⅞	32
Hayes Wheel	36⅜	36⅜	36⅜	36⅜
Houston Oil	79	79⅞	79	79⅞
Hudson Mot	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Independ Oil	27⅛	27⅜	27	27⅛
Indian Refin	8¾	8¾	8⅝	8¾
Int Ag Corp	12½	12½	12½	12½
Int Ag Corp pf	35¾	35¾	35⅜	35⅜
Int Harvester	103	104	103	104
Int M M	12	12	12	12
Int M M pf	46½	46½	46	46¼
Int Nickel	26¼	26¼	26¼	26¼
Int Paper	58	57⅝	56	57½
Intl Tel & Tel	94	94	94	94
Jordan Motor	40	40	40	40
Kan City & So	35¼	36⅜	35¼	36
Kayser & Co	23	23	23	23
Kelly Springfd	15⅜	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝
Kennecott	53¾	53¾	53	53¼
Lehigh Valley	76½	77¼	76½	77
Lima Loco	67	67⅞	67	67⅞
Lorillard &	44⅛	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝
Loudstone Oil	20⅜	20⅜	20¼	20⅜
Louis & Nash.	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
Mack Trucks	137	138	137	137
Mack Trucks pf	90	90	90	90
Mallinson H R	30	30	29¾	29¾
Manhat Shirt	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Manhat El guar	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
Mantly Mg	49⅝	50	49⅝	50
Marmon Mot	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼
Marland Oil	42¼	42⅝	42⅛	42⅝
Maxwell A	67	68	67	68
Maxwell Cl B	82	82	81⅜	81⅜
Maxwell Cl B	42¾	42¾	42	42
Miami Copper	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Miami Copper.	21⅜	21⅜	21⅛	21⅛
Middle Sts Oil	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Mo Kan & Tex	27	27	27	27
Mo Kan&T pf	54¾	54¾	54¾	54¾
Mo Pac	39	39	38¾	38¾
Mo Pacific pf	79½	80	79½	80
Montgm Ward	47⅞	47⅞	47⅝	47⅞
Mother Lode	8	8	8	8
Nat Biscuit	67⅞	67¾	67¼	67¾
Nat Dairy Pr	69⅛	69⅛	68⅝	68⅝
Nat Dept Sts	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞	41⅝
Nat En & Spg	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
Nat Lead	130½	130½	129½	130¾
New Cons Cop	19¼	19¾	19¼	19¾
NY Central	122	122	121¾	121¾
NY NH & H	32	32¾	31¾	31¾
Norfolk & W	129⅞	129⅞	129¼	129¼
North Amer	47	47¼	46¾	47
Otis Steel	9⅞	10¼	9⅞	10¼
Owens Bottle	46⅝	46⅝	46⅜	46⅜
Pac Gas & El	58¾	58¾	58¼	58¼
Packard Motor	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼
Pan-Am Pet	72	72¼	72	72¼
Pan-Am Pet B	72¾	72¾	72¼	72¼
Penn R R	47¼	47¼	47¼	47¼
Peoples Gas	115¼	115¼	115¼	115¼
Phila Co	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
Phila & R Co	48⅛	48⅛	47⅞	47⅞
Phillips Petrol	43⅛	43⅝	42⅝	43
Pierce Ar pf	49	49	49	49
Pierce Oil	2¾	2¾	2⅝	2⅝
Pierce Oil pf	24¼	24½	24¼	24½
Pierce Petrol	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜
Pressed St Car	58	58	58	58
Prod & Ref	28¼	28¾	28¼	28¾
Pub Serv NJ	69¾	69¾	69¼	69¼
Pullman Co	129½	129½	129½	129½
Punta Alegre	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝
Pure Oil	30⅛	31¼	30⅛	31¼

STOCKS HIGHER IN NEW YORK TRADING

Stocks started up well in Wall Street trading and worked higher. With the lowering of the call money renewal rate to 3 per cent., buyers rushed to cover and the scarcity in the floating supply led to a resumption of pool operations on a broad scale.

Practically all groups except copper participated in the advance.

Buying of the rails was stimulated by a sharp increase in car loadings, but Atchison, which had been bid up 6 points yesterday on rumors of an early declaration of a stock dividend, extended its early loss to 2 points on profit-taking.

American Woolen was hammered down 3¼ points to 49, a new low for the year.

Nash Motors soared 5½ points. General Electric 4. Atlantic Coast Line, Interborough, Preferred, Gulf States Steel and Air Reduction moved up 3 to 3½ points.

The Boston Stock Exchange trading Mohawk and Gilbert was a point or more from Tuesday's close at the day's best. Other changes were practically all fractional.

Boston Stocks

BOSTON PRICES—2 P. M.

	Change
Am Brdc	— ⅛
Am Pneu	— ⅛
Am Wool pf	— ⅛
Am Zinc	— ⅛
Boston Ad Assn	— ⅛
Boston Elev	— ⅛
Boston Elev 2 pf	— ⅛
Boston & Maine	+¼
Boston & Maine pf	— ⅛
Boston & Maine D	— ⅛
Boston Mfg	— ⅛
Boston Personal	— ⅛
Calumet & Hecla	— ⅛
Cities Service	— ⅛
Cities Service pf	+¼
Copper Range	— ⅛
Edison	— ⅛
Fairbanks Morse	— ⅛
Hood Rubber	— ⅛
Island Oil & Tr	— ⅛
Lib Mcn L	— ⅛
Mass Gas pf	— ⅛
Mergenthaler	+¼
New H. Boiler	— ⅛
Mohawk	— ⅛
N E Tel	— ⅛
N E Tel pf	— ⅛
North Butte	— ⅛
Old Colony Rr	— ⅛
Swift & Co	— ⅛
Torrington 1 pf	— ⅛
United Fruit	— ⅛
U S Smelt	— ⅛
U S Smelt pf	+¼
Utah Metal	— ⅛
Utah Metal	— ⅛
Waldorf	— ⅛
Walworth	— ⅛
Westinghouse	+¼

DIVIDEND IS RESUMED ON ARMOUR CLASS A

Armour & Co. declared two quarterly dividends, one on its Class A common, one payable as of January 2 to stock of record on that date and the other payable April 1 to stock of record March 14; also regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred of Armour & Co. of Illinois, Armour of Delaware and North American Provision Company, all payable April 1 to stock of record March 14. This is first dividend on Class A since January, 1921.

RAIL FREIGHT TRAFFIC AT PEAK FOR SEASON

Freight traffic on the railroads is now the greatest ever reported for this season of the year. For the week ended Feb. 7 loadings of revenue freight totaled 928,244 cars. This was not only an increase of 32,189 cars over the preceding week, but also an increase of 22,227 cars over the corresponding week last year. It also was 78,891 cars above the same week two years ago.

QUOTATIONS ADVANCED FOR COTTON FUTURES

Quotations were advanced for New York cotton futures. Prices: March, 24.70 to .95; May, 24.50 to .67; July, 23.19, up .10; October, 25.12, up .10; December, 25.20, off .13.

New York Curb

New York curb was strong: Hazeltine Corporation 34½, up 1; Ohio Oil 71⅜, up 1⅜; Standard Oil of Indiana 66½, up ¾; Electric Bond & Share Securities 61, up ½; Goodyear Tire & Rubber 32, up ½; Thompson Radio 14, up ⅜.

Auction Sales

Principal sales at Boston stock auction were:

Sales		Price
19	National Shawmut Bank	270
1	Bangor Trust Co	270
1	Naumkeag Co pf	103
2	Ludlow Mfg Associates ex-div	160½
1	Lawrence Mills pf	97½
10	Gosnold Mills	50
64	Androscoggin Mills	77
5	Pepperell Mfg Co	127
2	Bigelow-Hart Carpet Co pf	103½
58	Worcester Cons St Ry Co 1 pf	22½
2	Boston & Lowell Rr	118
1	Converse Rubber Shoe Co pf	74½
1	Boston Athenaeum	300
100	Beacon Chocolate Co pr pf, 1 1st	
10	Ry Purchase Co pf	50
30	Gordon-Pew Fish Co 1st pf	34
10	Gorton-Pew Fish Co 1st pf	34
15	F H Roberts Co 7% pf	45½
10	Ry Purchase Co pr pf	50
2	Plymouth Cordage	124½

Foreign Exchanges

	Demand	Tuesday Parity
Belgium	.04.75c	19.30c
France (French)	.05274	.0639
France (Belgian)	.0503	.0639
Italy	.04104	.0431
Germany	.0012	.0238
German marks	.0281	.2380
Roumania, lei	.00595	.0051
other kdy. Co.	.02971	.02945
Poland	.0025	.1900
Switz. francs	.1925	.19293
Austria, crowns	.00295	.0029
Norwegian krone	.15233	.1922
Canadian dollar	.99 05-64	1.00
Argentine, peso	.3940	.3921

Pullman Co

(F. C. C. Report)

	1924.	1923.	Change.
Dec. gross	$5,587,327	$8,092,427	-$ 505,100
Bal. aft. tax	212,043	4,226,795	-4,014,752
12 mos. gross	72,727,836	92,976,295	-20,248,459
Bal. after tax	7,726,508	12,200,466	-4,586,958

Above does not include revenues from other sources or investment in Pullman Car & Mfg. Co.

Points in Tuesday's Market

Total sales, Jan. 1, 1925, to date—New York, 62,834,100 shares. Boston, 1,331,833 shares.

Wall St. Gossip

ST. LOUIS-San Francisco for 1924 reports net income $6,030,262 after taxes and bond interest, including adjustment and income bonds, against $4,782,330 in 1923.

PRESSED STEEL Car profit and loss surplus of $13,652,685 Dec. 31, 1924, compares with $14,760,245 at end of 1923.

MOTOR WHEEL declared quarterly dividend of 30 cents on common, payable March. Previously 7 per cent. or 20 cents, had been paid quarterly.

NATIONAL TRANSIT declared extra dividend of 25 cents, payable March 16.

HENRY FORD has purchased $1,-181,000 5 per cent. bonds of Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railroad at par for Ford Motor Co.

IT IS stated on high authority that Union Pacific has not divested and is not now divesting, itself of any of $22,050,000 New York Central stock in its treasury.

SUGGESTION that Union Pacific has a large profit in its New York Central stock is erroneously made, since Central was acquired at average cost of a share.

BURROUGHS Adding Machine declared regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents on common and $1.75 on preferred, both payable March 31.

SINCLAIR Consolidated Oil Corporation this year will earn about $4 a share on its common, according to official estimates.

NEW YORK TRANSIT earned $3.72 a share in 1924, against $4.77 a share in 1923.

AMERICAN Gas earned 17.41 per cent. on stock, after subsidiaries' surplus reserve, in 1924.

Stock Dividend

Gulf States Steel declared stock dividend of 11½ per cent., also $1.25 common dividend and 7 per cent. preferred dividend.

Fall River Stocks

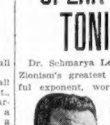
(Quoted by George N. Durfee & Sons)

	Par	Bid	Ask
American Linen Co	100.00		
Algonquin Mills	100.00		
Barnard Mfg Co	1,250.00		74
Border City Mfg Co	1,000.00		
Bourne Mills	1,000.00		158
Chace Mills	1,000.00		137
Charlton Mills	1,200.00		137
Cornell Mills	1,000.00		76
Davis Mills	2,500.00		107
Fall River Mfg Co	1,000.00		
Flint Mills	1,740.00		127
Granite Mills	1,000.00		
King Philip Mills	2,250.00		142
Mechanics Mills	1,000.00		
other kdy. Co.	1,000.00		
Merchants Mfg Co	1,000.00		102
Narragansett Mills	600.00		
Osborn Mills	1,750.00		70
Parker Mills (Common)	1,200.00		49
Parker Mills (Preferred)	1,200.00		
Pocasset Mfg. Co	1,000.00		45
Richard Borden Mfg Co	1,000.00		
Sagamore Mfg. Co	3,000.00		
Seaconnet Mills	1,200.00		
Shawmut Mills	600.00		
Stevens Mfg. Co	2,250.00		80
Stafford Mills	1,000.00		
Sterling Mills	1,000.00		
Troy & W Mfg Co	300.000		300
Union Cotton Mfg. Co	1,000.00		120
Wampanoag Mills	1,000.00		72
Worcester Mills	500.00		50

Manufacturing, per cent. It take into consideration any charge other than taxes.

DR. LEVIN TO SPEAK HERE TONIGHT

Dr. Schmarya Levin of Palestine, Zionism's greatest and most forceful exponent, world authority on Jewish needs and problems, philosopher, publicist and noted orator, will deliver his only lecture in New England on his present tour in America at Tremont Temple tonight.


Dr. Levin

A reception in his honor has been arranged by the New England Zionist Region, under whose auspices the distinguished speaker will address his audience on "Roads to Freedom." Boston Zionists are very well acquainted with Dr. Levin, remembering his stirring appeal for the cause when he visited this city three years ago.

Dr. Levin will give his talk in Yiddish. From the advance sale of tickets, Mendel N. Fisher, executive secretary of the Region, reports that a capacity house is assured. All men and women of the city interested in the glorious cause of New Palestine will attend.

With this announcement also comes the official word from the Zionist bureau that Max Schoolman of this city, active in local Jewish philanthropic work and one of the men who has been decidedly prominent in the building of the new Jewish hospital in Palestine, will relate intimate experiences of the Holy Land. Mr. Shoolman made an extensive and thorough study of conditions there.

Marvelous progress invested over $250,-000 in a building project in Palestine and his undertaking has aroused the Jewish sentiment all over the world. His presence added to Dr. Levin's appearance, mark tonight's affair as a red letter one in Jewish circles.

The committee in charge include Elihu D. Stone, president of the Region, as chairman; Joseph B. Abrams, secretary; Benjamin Rabasky, treasurer, and Mendel N. Fisher, executive secretary.

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Rabbi Samuel J. Abrams will lead the discussion on the topic, "The Philosophy of Judaism" tonight in the vestry of Temple Israel, Commonwealth avenue. A meeting of the combined teaching staffs of Jewish religious schools of Boston occasions the lecture. All who are interested are invited to attend.

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The Rank Staff Association, King Solomon Lodge, No. 18, K. of P., will hold their annual dance in Odefield Hall, Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, tonight. The committee in charge of the arrangements are: Abe Goldstein, chairman; Sam A. Jacobs, secretary; A. Sherman, treasurer, and Phil Hirsch. An exhibition drill in full regalia will be given.

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A mass meeting will be held tonight in the main auditorium of the Crawford Street Synagogue under the auspices of the Junior Council of the synagogue in a concentrated effort to encourage religious, social and cultural activity among the young people of the community. Harry S. Davidowitz, rabbi of the Community Synagogue of Atlantic City, who was a Jewish army chaplain in the World War, will be one of the prominent speakers. As a member of the Rabbinical Assembly of the Jewish Theological Seminary, Mr. Davidowitz is known as a fine orator and a leader in Jewish ministry.

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Other speakers will include Rabbi Louis M. Epstein of the synagogue and director of the Junior Council, and Miss Anna Cohen, secretary. Miss Blackwell is an author and active worker in women's welfare organizations.

Pretentious arrangements under the direction of M. A. Margolis have been made for this mass meeting which will be preceded by a musical concert furnished by Isidore Jaffee, violinist; Miss Ruth Rubenzy, accompanist and Cantor Isidore Adelsman accompanied by Professor Boris Morrow.

Officers of the Junior Council of this synagogue are: Samuel A. Margolis, president; Miss Anna Cohen, first vice-president; Paul Fishman, second vice-president; Miss Celia Goldstein, corresponding secretary; Miss Libby Cohen, recording secretary; Miss Eva Baker, treasurer; M. A. Margolis, publicity director.

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The Sisters of Rebecca celebrated their fifty-sixth anniversary today with a catered luncheon and an installation of officers by Mrs. Ida S. Cohen. Miss Ethel Lovejoy, the installation with an award of prizes and the serving of refreshments.

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"Diabetes, What It Is and How to Prevent and Cure It," is the subject of a timely and most interesting lecture to be given by Dr. Samuel Morrison tomorrow night at the Menorah Institute, Elm avenue, Roxbury.

Dr. Morrison is a recognized authority on the subject having done much for the afflicted in his work at the Massachusetts General and the Beth Israel Hospitals. Dr. Morrison is an instructor at the Harvard Medical School. The public is invited as general hints of advice and value will be given.

MAN BUT A PILGRIM ON THIS PLANET

By DR. FRANK CRANE

AFTER all, no better term has been formed for man than that he is "a pilgrim and a stranger" on this planet.

It is easy for us to get egocentric ideas and think the world was made for mankind, and especially for ourselves.

It is well once in a while to take another view of things, to inject ourselves possibly into the viewpoint of other creatures.

So doing, man discovers that he is not regarded with a friendly eye by any other creature that God has made, except, perhaps, the dog.

You have noticed in the woods how all wild things run away from you.

There is probably more life under the surface of the ocean than above it, and yet all that life is alien to man.

Perhaps this fear that other creatures have for us is well founded. We use them for our meat and for our slaves. We take their life, and restrain their liberty, without any maudlin sentiment. Man is the tyrant of the universe.

It is rare to find one who has broken down this barrier and has become friendly with the other creatures, a man of whom the birds are not afraid, and with whom the animals form a companionship.

Daniel Henderson, in a recent book of poems, says:

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Which shows two things, among many.

The first is that Boston has grown up, is getting on, is stepping out, is almost ready to do the big things that MUST be done in the only way in which they can be done properly. That is, in a BIG way.

And the second is that Boston has quite made up its mind that the problem presented by the automobile and the motor-truck, in the narrower and busier streets of the city, is one that will not suffer further postponement.

The report of the Special Recess Committee on the Intermediate Thoroughfare, to give the board its full and proper if somewhat clumsy name, is now in the hands of the printer. It is earnestly to be hoped that the order provides for copies enough to place one in the hands of every Bostonian of vision, every enterprising merchant, every public-spirited taxpayer.

One of the most interesting of all the suggestions contained in this report, and it is packed full of meat and substance, is that the Atlantic Avenue structure of the Boston Elevated Railway Company may be used as part of a "second-story" highway, completely encircling that part of the city lying east of Arlington street.

Imagine! Coupes, sedans and motor trucks, whizzing past the South Station and along the waterfront, as high in the air as we now see an occasional Elevated train!

Practically every important city in the land has had to meet the problem presented by the more than 15,000,000 automobiles in the United States. Los Angeles is grappling with it on the basis of a survey made by an expert, requiring ten months and the expenditure of between $30,000 and $50,000. Similar surveys have been made in St. Louis, Atlanta, Philadelphia and other cities. One is now being made in metropolitan New York.

How Boston's problem is accentuated by the historic Common, and the centering of wholesale and retail business in one comparatively small section of the city, was told long ago by the Under Forty division of the Chamber of Commerce, in a report on "street traffic in the city of Boston:"

"In the early days of the city there were wharves along the harbor front, with wholesale houses behind them, as now. Then came the retail stores, and finally the residences, stretching back over Beacon Hill. The space between the wholesale houses and the Common was more than ample for the retail business.

"As the city grew and became more and more crowded, desperate efforts were made to keep it habitable for all who desired to live in it. As the North End was occupied by newcomers, the Back Bay was filled in so as to provide additional space for residences. There was ample room for this district to spread westward, and at that time Beacon Street and Boylston Street were large enough to accommodate all the traffic from the west to the retail centres.

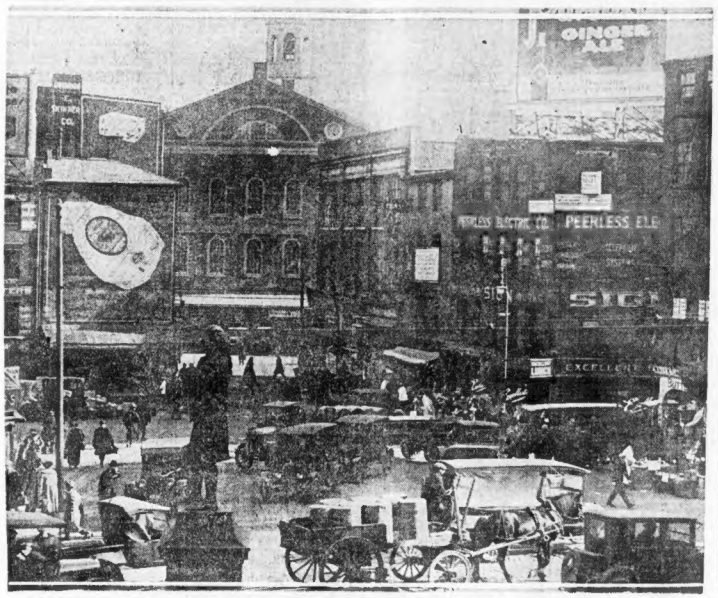
"When the business section became crowded, Fort Hill was removed and the material used to construct new land along the harbor front. Thus all the area east of Beacon and Copps Hills was made comparatively level. This made teaming easy, so that the shops had their warehouses over their offices and found no difficulty in carting their purchased goods in by teams, and their sold goods out again by the same method.

"Once the whole business district was fully occupied, there was only one possible way for it to expand. It was bounded on the west by the Common, on the northwest by two hills, and on the north and east by the river and the harbor, respectively.

"Geographically, it could spread to the south and southwest, but all traffic from the western residence section to the business districts breaks against the Common, flows around it, and tumbles into the whirlpool beyond. There is no broad attractive street to carry the stream to the south and southwest of the present crowded district. Hence, retailers have been afraid to move. They want to be in the whirlpool, not in slack water. Had such a street as described been constructed when the Back Bay was filled in, the present situation might have been very different. As it is, conditions become worse every month. Retailers hesitate to move to the south, and wholesalers continue to store their goods over their offices as did their ancestors. Every day thousands of tons of heavy materials are carted through our narrow streets from terminals to warehouses and from warehouses to terminals. Year after year goes by, and yet new warehouses are not as a rule placed on available sites having spur track facilities.

"To summarize, the present congestion in the business district of Boston is caused by the great number of vehicles and foot passengers, all desirous of moving around in a space far too small to accommodate them. . . ."

WHERE CONGESTION IS SEEN AT ITS WORST



"For years one of the worst congested places in the city of Boston has been the mass of crooked ways between Faneuil Hall and Washington Street.

"We are in favor of a radical reconstruction of streets in that area with the taking of two entire blocks and, as an offset, the recovery of a substantial amount of land which will have large value.

"The plan which we propose is the extension of Brattle Street, from Washington Street to Faneuil Hall, to a width of 100 feet. This will give an adequate entrance to the market and also give to one of our most historic buildings the dignified setting which its traditions demand.

"The widening of Brattle Street, the widening of Exchange Street and the opening up of Dock Square really constitute ONE improvement that will greatly facilitate the moving of traffic to and from both the financial and the market districts.

—From the unanimous report of the Special Recess Commission on Boston's Street Traffic Problem.

Has the situation improved since the above report was penned?

In some respects, a very little; in many respects it has grown worse.

The building of Stuart street was one of the best things that has been done for Boston in a generation. Great warehouses have grown up close to the waterfront and railroad terminals. Retail trade has marched several blocks westerly along Boylston street.

Advances and improvements, to be sure, each in its way, but what has been their effect upon the problem of street traffic conditions?

No more than barely discernible, if that.

There are several automobile today where there was one a dozen years ago, and there are times, it appears, when all of them come to Boston.

The problem presented by the motor-car in city streets is not, as everyone knows, peculiar to Boston. In December last, indeed, Secretary of Commerce Hoover was moved to call a national conference on street and highway safety. The conference was held in Washington and at least one New Englander came home from it impressed by the fact that American cities had met and were meeting their local traffic problems as best they could under the existing conditions, but had "reached about the peak of possibility of further traffic improvements WITHOUT STRUCTURAL CHANGES."

The finding of the Hoover conference was that the only way for a community to "deal effectively with the problems of street and highway activity is to co-ordinate all its efforts in A COMPREHENSIVE TRAFFIC AND THOROUGHFARE PLAN, showing a complete system of traffic ways, parking of automobiles, storage areas and needed street improvements, both within the city limits and within the area of probable building developments outside of such limits."

And this is exactly what the gentlemen of the Special Recess Commission on the Intermediate Thoroughfare have done, for the report they have presented to the General Court in a comprehensive traffic and thoroughfare plan which **FACES THE FUTURE.**

Consider, for example, what they say on the subject of a two-level street, encircling down-town Boston:

"An ideal layout for down-town Boston would be a wide thoroughfare partly on ground level and partly on causeway, which would completely encircle the portion of the city lying east of Arlington street.

"In our opinion such an encircling street should be on the ground level where intersections are infrequent, and on an elevated causeway where street crossings are frequent; to the end that traffic may circle the city at rapid speed, entering this circular thoroughfare wherever the main incoming arteries intersect it; and leaving it by ramps which would bring traffic into the various down-town districts, such as the financial district, the market district, the retail district, etc., etc. This would tend to eliminate cross traffic from many of the narrow streets of the city, and enable cars to pass rapidly from one part of the circumferential highway to another.

"Downtown Boston is relatively small in area, and the circumferential highway which we have in mind would not be over 4 miles in length, and would pass within 2,000 feet of practically all the important centres of the down-town district.

"It has been suggested to us that the Atlantic Avenue Elevated structure be converted to a viaduct and be made a part of the circumferential highway. This suggestion is being given very careful consideration by this Commission. Such a circular highway would also of necessity involve a viaduct over the tracks in the rear of the North Station."

The Commission urges the building of a new street from the Charles River Dam to Causeway and Staniford streets, at an estimated cost of $1,385,000; the widening of Merrimac Street from Causeway Street to Haymarket Square, $2,125,000; widening of Cross Street from Haymarket Square to Commercial Street, and its extension through private property to State Street, $5,305,000; widening of Brattle Street, $1,190,000; widening of Exchange Street, $1,920,000; widening of Albany Street from Kneeland Street to Broadway, $1,530,000, and the construction of a new street from the corner of Albany and Kneeland Streets to Church Green and Federal Street, at an estimated cost of $7,345,000.

A large order, you see!

Who has drawn it? Who ARE the gentlemen of the Recess Commission?

The chairman is Mr. Henry I. Harriman, who is also chairman of the Metropolitan Planning Division, and his associate members Mr. Frederic H. Fay, chairman of the City Planning Board; Judge Michael H. Sullivan, chairman of the Finance Commission; Colonel Thomas F. Sullivan, chairman of the Boston Transit Department, and Chairman John H. L. Noyes of the Boston Board of Street Commissioners.

The report is before the Legislature, and in the due and ordinary course of events it will be referred to the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs and become the subject of advertised public hearings. In the meantime, its recommendations and the Commission which makes them may properly be the subject of comment.

First of all, the commissioners are UNANIMOUS in their support of the plan here sketchily outlined.

Secondly, it is worth pointing out that while two of the five commissioners are appointees of the Mayor of Boston and among Mr. Curley's advisers, another is none other than the chairman of the "Fin. Com.," appointed at the State House to see that the City Hall behaves itself.

Another record has been broken by this commission in the matter of expenses. It was given an appropriation of $5,000 and has expended only about $2,000 of it. It wants another year in which to complete its study of a comprehensive program for down-town Boston, BUT IT DOES NOT ASK FOR MORE MONEY.

The personnel of this exceptional commission, the meat and matter of its thought-compelling report, the circumstances surrounding it, the gravity of the problem and the tremendous sum called for by the plan now before the Legislature, combine to enlist the attention of every Minute Man in Boston.

The Automobile Show soon will be with us.

The opening of another motor season is merely around the corner of the calendar.

Traffic congestion in these crooked, crowded streets of "old" Boston will be worse before it is better.

SOMETHING must be done, and soon, or visitors from out of town will begin to shun these streets as they would the plague. NO community could afford that.

Wealthiest city in America, second richest trade centre of the Western Hemisphere, foremost educational centre of the United States, commercial metropolis of New England, Boston simply **CANNOT AFFORD** to temporize longer with this traffic problem.

DO the recommendations of the Harriman Commission offer the best possible solution?

They are worthy of the most careful consideration, at all events, and at the moment they are the only ones before us.

Let no Minute Man be frightened away from them because they call for the ultimate expenditure of $25,000,000.

The Harriman plan provides for the raising from taxes of between $2,500,000 and $3,000,000 annually, the property-takings, construction work and financing to be spread over a period of years.

Twenty years ago, a somewhat similar plan of public improvement, involving, as this does, the suggestion of a double-deck highway, was presented to the people of Chicago, some of whom laughed heartily at the idea of a "boulevard on stilts."

What happened?

Chicago's great boulevard was completed and today, twenty years after the witless scoffed at a street "on stilts," real estate all along its course is "up," on the average, approximately 500 per cent.

There NEVER was a truly GREAT public improvement which, in the course of time, did not more than pay for itself.

Dr. Crane's article will be found on Page 18. Helping Hand Page 17.